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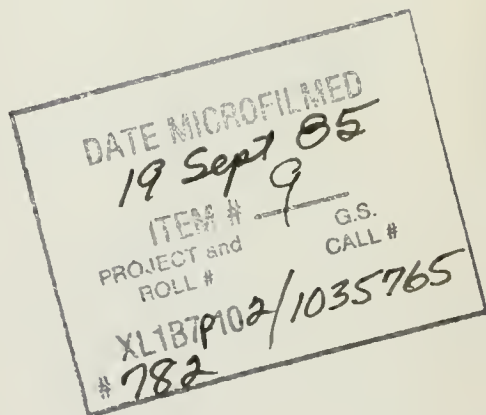
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FOREWORD

"THE BICENTENNIAL"

The wealth of our nation; the happiness of our Clan and our neighbors are dependent upon the way in which we use our minds and our land. Our history is one of values stabilized through settlement, planting, building and education. We look forward to another 200 years of progress and prosperity in this freedom-loving country.

"BEFORE THE REVOLUTION"

In the beginning of America, the King of England gave vast territories to royal favorites and land use rights were distributed to individuals and companies as royal rewards for loyalty and service to the crown.

Colonial Charters, granted in England to individuals and companies, gave proprietorship, not ownership, of American soil. The king reserved political jurisdiction and control over all land and mineral rights. Governing rights to land were revocable at the royal will. As the colonies grew and prospered, as they became more densely populated and advanced in political status, the King of England appointed governors to rule over our people.

There were no American citizens as we now know them. There were, though, both English hotheads bent on rebellion and staunch loyalists seeking to repair the crippled ties with Mother England. The English King, King George III (who was as much German as he was English, his father, King George II, and his grand father, King George I, were both born in Germany) was by this descent a very "thick headed German" who did much to fan the fires of rebellion here in America and to unite the country planter with the city merchant, the rough-hewn with the well-to-do.

The King's dictatorial manner and his refusal to rescind the tax on tea caused a few Americans in Boston to disguise themselves as Indians and overpower the sailors aboard a ship, loaded with tea, which belonged to the British East India Company, and heave the tea overboard, saying, "King George will never collect a tax on this tea."

It was not that the tax was heavy, for it was not. The £15,000 worth of the offensive tea was destroyed as a warning to King George that the American settlers would never again accept a tax on any product being shipped to or from the American Colonies, for fear that future tax rates could cause a return of the economic depression and hardship that our people suffered in earlier years, as noted later in this book.

King George got the message and sent his warships and closed the Boston Harbor on June 1, 1774. Not so much as a yard of cloth, chest of tea, or crate of fruit was loaded or unloaded from large frigate or small scow.

All through those sultry summer months in 1774, Massachusetts was a simmering kettle of rebellion. Americans assembled in Carpenter's Hall and an urgent call went out to the thirteen separate Colonies, requesting representatives to meet in Philadelphia to air grievances and resolve the Massachusetts situation. This first meeting of the Continental Congress, which was attended by all the Colonies except Georgia, was a sobering affair. The delegates were as different from one another as the American landscapes they represented.

From this first meeting of this Congress there grew the spirit that produced the bedrock documents of our American Democracy, the foundations upon which the world's oldest republic was born.

PREFACE

This Genealogy took two and one half years of research and would never have been written without the help of many of our Barton cousins. May I take a moment to list those who gave more of their time than others in this effort.

If we have been successful in our work, special thanks must be given to: Mrs. Ruth M. Barton, Mr. James Patrick Barton, Mrs. Eva Bowser, Mrs. Lottie Bowser, Mr. and Mrs. Garman H. Daron, Mr. Francis J. Domingo, Mrs. Mary Grimshaw, Mrs. Katherine Hodges, Mr. Walter A. Hopkins, Mr. Freeman Munson, Mrs. Alice M. Petersen, Mr. Wilbur Sawyer, and to those many Barton cousins who took the time in years gone by to record our family history.

Mr. Lloyd William Barton of Ripon, California, wrote in a letter:

"As we walk the pathway of life in this American Revolution Bicentennial year 1976, we pause by our Barton family tree.

"Many precious memories come to our mind as we 'travel' back to boyhood days. No doubt, our first ancestor came to America because of a strong desire for freedom to worship God, escape oppression, and to secure land.

"We still remember as we stood by our dear great, great Aunt Ellen Hopkins Gish, before she was called to her eternal home, the sweet, peaceful look on her face and in her eyes, as she patiently waited for the Master to call her home. This was over 50 years ago when we took a trip from California to Kansas by train in a chair car pulled by a coal-burning steam engine. Aunt Ellen was tenderly and lovingly cared for in the home of one of her children, she wasn't put in a 'Rest Home,' as is so common today.

"The train that took us to Kansas was like luxury compared to the hardships endured by those of our great grandfather's family who traveled the previous century by horse and covered wagon from Virginia to Indiana and later to Kansas, where they raised their families.

"Grandfather and Uncle Giles Barton, leaving other Bartons behind in Kansas, moved on to California and were early settlers in the San Joaquin Valley.

"We remember these great uncles, aunts and cousins in Kansas as hard workers. Their countenance bore the look of many hardships. However, they all had a love for children and were so friendly that we have never forgotten their hospitality. As far as this world's goods are concerned, most of them would be called 'poor,' but they were rich in their faith in God.

"In grandfather Will Barton's family bible, we found in his hand writing,

"'The Best Legacy a Father can leave his children is a good name'"

"With warm regards,

"Your Barton cousin,

(signed) "Lloyd Barton"



MR. & MRS. GEORGE WASHINGTON HOPKINS
(NEE, ELIZABETH DOWDY)

PARENTS OF: MINERVA BARTON

GRANDPARENTS OF: JOHN DAVID BARTON, ROBERT BARTON, GEORGE WILLIAM
BARTON, GILES DANIEL BARTON, MARY JANE BARTON, NANCY KATHERINE
BARTON AND SILAS EMANUEL BARTON.



MR. AND MRS. ARTHUR JOSIAH BROWN SR.
(Nee, IVY CHLOE-MAYME METSKER)
Daughter of MARY JANE BARTON METSKER.



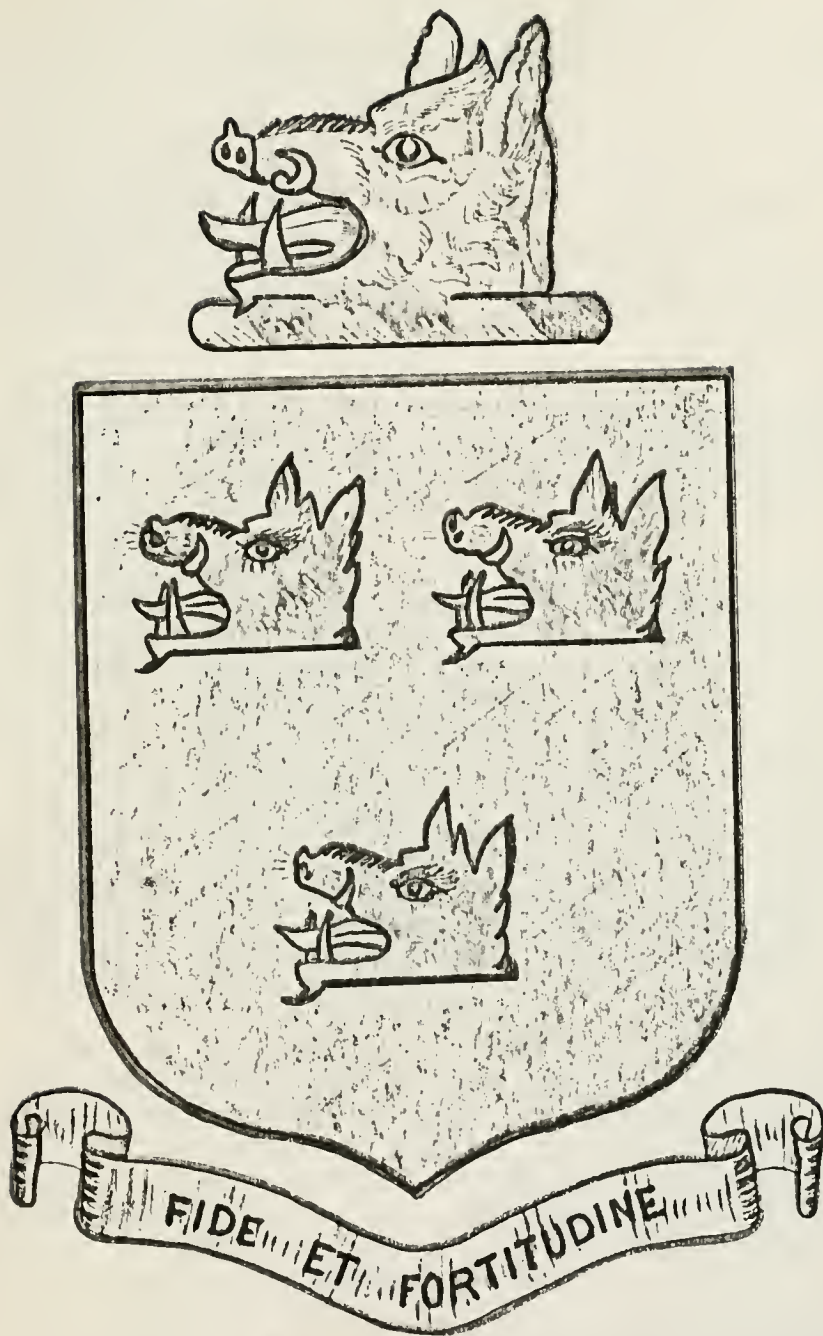
FOUR GENERATIONS

MRS. MINERVA BARTON, GREAT GRANDMOTHER
MRS. MARY JANE BARTON METSKER, GRANDMOTHER
MRS. WEGIA MAE JOHNSTONE, MOTHER OF
MASTER QUINTIN JOHNSTONE V

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Barton

BARTONS OF BARTON MANOR

LANCASHIRE, ENGLAND

ARMS: ON A FIELD ARGENT THREE BOARS' HEADS SABLE, ARMED OR.

CREST: A BOAR'S HEAD GULES COUPED, ARMED ARGENT

MOTTO: "FIDE ET FORTITUDINE" - "WITH FAITH AND COURAGE"

Old families of the name of Barton are found in England, Scotland, Ireland and France, but the home of the Barton family was in the large County of Lancashire in the North of England, bounded on the West by the Irish Sea, and lying just forty miles from the Scottish border.

The Barton family dates from the 12th Century, and takes its name from the great Barton Manor in Lancashire. The Barton Manor had no less than twenty subordinate tenures, Aspul, Brunsop, Halachton, Hulton, Haliwell, Brightmere, Farnwood, Northende, Eccles, Marwinton, Workedeh, Westwode, Withington, Newam, Irwilham, Bromihurst, Hulme, Domplinton, Quickleswicke, and Crompton, all of which are named in two charters at Trafford, in the reign of Edward I. One of these charters transferred this Hugh Estate to Robert Grelle and his heirs, including all its privileges which of course included the name Barton. The Deed was executed by John de Barton, "Son and Heir of Gilbert de Barton, Quondam Milites." With all the right of dower derived from his mother, Cecelia de Barton. The date on the Deed is A.D. 1276. (Note 1)

With the transfer of the Estate, as noted above, Robert Grelle became Robert de Barton, who gave the entire Estate to his daughter, Editha de Barton, as part of her dowry and she became Lady of Barton. She married Gilbert de Nottun founder of our Barton family. Gilbert de Nottun, who was from the Baronial House of Nottun, discarded his Nottun Arms and took his Arms from the Barton Manor. The earlier family of the name Barton assumed other names one of which was Stedman. (Note 2)

The Barton Arms are very ancient, dating back to the marriage of Gilbert de Nottun and Editha, Lady of Barton. Whether the earlier Barton family had used them or not does not appear, but the Arms of the Nottun family were discarded, and instead the coat employed was of three boars' heads erected and erased with a bear's head crest.

Almost all the earlier Coats of Arms were "Canting;" that is, they were based upon some play upon the family name.

Note 1: "Visitation of Lancashire, 1533", pages 79-80

Note 2: "A.P.S. Heraldry", page 456

The use of the boar's head seems to have been suggested by the name Barton, quasi Boarton.

The Boar's Head is one of the principals of heraldry, and was assumed by warriors and huntsmen. No chase was more exciting than that of the wild boar; no feast was more merry than of the yuletide when the boar's head graced the table. The Boar's Head Arms insignia was a favorite with our teutonic ancestors, both Scandinavian and German, and it is prominent in literature from the time of Beowulf, in which we read:

"When we in battle our mail-hoods defended,
When troops rushed together, and boars'-heads clashed."

The Bartons of Barton used their Arms for two and a half centuries before the College of Arms was established. By that time, some slight modifications had occurred. A boar's head crest was added, taking the place of the original bear's head crest, and the motto: "Fide et Fortitudine," "With Faith and Courage," was included.

In 1649 A.D., Charles I of England was executed (Note 1) and our Barton clansmen, who had supported King Charles, lost their Barton Manor for supporting his cause, and were now subjected to a period of unusual terror and were forced to flee the Barton Baronial Estate to other parts of the world for safety (Note 2.) Some of the Barton clan went North to Scotland and changed the name to Bartan; some fled to Southern England and changed their name to Burton; others took to the Irish Sea and landed in Ireland and changed their name to Barten; some went further by sea to France and used the name Martin, but all fled from Northern England. A few Bartons came to America and one of these was Thomas Barton, the first of our direct line to land in America, and the year was 1654 (Note 3 and Note 4.)

Note 1: "Outline of History" by H.G. Wells, page 1213

Note 2: "Some Prominent Virginia Families" page 747

Note 3: "Early Settlers of Maryland" by Skordas, page 27

Note 4: I would like to point out to the reader that there was only a time period of five years from the time that Charles I of England was executed to the time our Thomas Barton landed in America.

BARTONS OF VIRGINIA

Thomas¹ Barton b. cl637 in England, came to America and landed in Maryland 1654 (Note 1). Whether Thomas stayed in Maryland for the first few years or moved immediately to Westmoreland County, Virginia, I am not certain, but in 1679 I found our Thomas Barton living on his plantation in the County of Stafford, Virginia, which was previously called Westmoreland County (Note 2.) He was at this time under legal attack by one Bur Harrison. Mr. Harrison was claiming legal title to our Thomas Barton's plantation. At the end of the legal hassle, Mr. Bur Harrison wins legal title to the land.

Thomas Barton, now without land, was forced to move to the frontier, and become a tenant farmer on a plantation owned by another and controlled by Lieut. Colonel George Mason. This plantation was one of many under Mason's control and was located in Stafford County, Virginia, and along the Occoquan River, a river that empties into the Cheasapeake Bay. Here on this plantation, Thomas Barton married and had issue four children (Note 3). The first male was born in 1687 and was named Thomas Barton, Jr. The apparent reason for Thomas Barton Senior's late marriage and offspring was due to the very low price for tobacco and other plantation products which was caused by the very high shipping rates that the King of England imposed on the colonies. Furthermore, since the King of England decreed that only English ships could transport products to and from the American Colonies, goods produced in the colonies brought a very low price, as the high shipping rates forced low prices on such goods as the products shipped abroad would only command a price competitive with products produced abroad. On the other hand, finished goods manufactured in England and Europe were sold in the American Colonies at very high prices, because of the same high rates. Thus, while the King of England grew rich on his high shipping rates, the early settlers to the American colonies suffered a long period of depression which lasted until about 1685.

Note 1: "Early Settlers of Maryland, by Skordas,, Pub. 1968,
page 27

Note 2: "Virginia Historical Magazine", Vol. #1, pages 24-28

Note 3: "Virginia Calendar of State Papers", Vol. #1, pages 69-70

FRONTIER LIFE IN VIRGINIA

(INDIANS ATTACK THOMAS BARTON'S HOME)

The following Indian attack and murder story is taken from a letter sent to me by Mrs. Ruth (Cover) Barton and relates the Indian scalping story that has been handed down in our Barton family for many generations. It was told to Vida and Ruth Barton by Alice (Shuler) Woodbridge whose mother was a daughter of Aunt Jane Montgomery, who was a sister to Minerva Barton. "Vi" and Ruth were visiting several convalescent homes shortly before Christmas, 1975, and enjoyed a nice visit with an older Barton cousin, Alice Woodbridge. Vida and Ruth spoke of this Barton family history and genealogy that I was preparing, and Alice said, "I can tell you a story no one else can give you. Mother lived in Indiana till she was seven years old. She (her mother) knew Matthew Barton's father and would tell this story about him - He was an old man when he told this story and would become very excited and tremble and shake all over as he told it." Here is the story! (Note 1)

"When Matthew's father was a boy 12 years old, the Indians came into their home killing and scalping his mother and taking him captive. They made him carry his mother's scalp for three days. They took him with them wanting him to be one of their tribe. Three times he tried to escape and they would catch him. One time they tied him to a tree, piled wood around him and were going to burn him, but they didn't and released him. The next time he got away, he hid in a hollow log. He could hear their footsteps as they searched for him. After they passed, he got out of the log, he was near a stream where there was a canoe, he escaped in that. They finally saw him and stood on the bank of the river and shook their tomahawks at him. If they could have caught him, they would have killed him." (Note 1)

This same story was found in the Sons of the Revolution Library and the Matthew Barton's father involved was not Matthew⁷ Barton's father, but instead was Matthew³, Barton's father, who was our Thomas² Barton Junior, and the year of the atrocity was 1699. (Note 2)

Note 1: Letter from Mrs. Ruth (Cover) Barton of Ripon, California, edited by the writer of this genealogy

Note 2: The year was either 1699 or 1700. However, since the Virginia House of Burgess Papers used the year 1699, that is the year I have used. Also, I might add, a professor of history has confirmed the year to be 1699.

LETTER DESCRIBING INDIAN ATROCITY

Stafford County, Virginia

April 20, 1699c
(Note 1)

May it please Your Excellency:

I got my letters ready to send (to) Your Excellency on Monday morning, but on Sunday, late in the night, came a messenger to give an account of a murder done in these parts, so my report to you is delayed.

Sir: On Sunday the 16th, about three o'clock in the afternoon, came about 20 or 30 Indians to the Thomas Barton (Plantation) about 20 miles above my house. The man (Thomas Barton) and his brother were away on a business trip and had left his wife and four children at home, and had got ye' man and his wife and two children from a plantation two miles away, to come and stay with his (Barton's) wife until he came home. The Indians fell on them and killed Barton's wife and three of his children (also killing) ye man and his wife and his children. The Barton boy (12 years of age) ran away, he being out at play, blessed be God, and escaped to a neighbor's house and is safe. They killed them with arrows and wooden tomahawks; they scalped all their heads, mutilated the bodies of the man and woman, cut two of the children under the jaws (probably babies of the visiting man and young wife), plundered all ye house and carried everything away; killed a mare that was tied outside the door at a nearby post. We searched the house and pulled out of ye people and ye mare, sixty-nine arrows. They left five ugly wooden tomahawks. On receiving the news, I went immediately with a small squad (of soldiers) and buried ye poor people.

This murder is the most horrible that ever happened in Stafford (County), and I thank God we have not had the same harm on this side of the Occoquan (river). I have had my soldiers in the marshes and have kept ye people bravely on their plantations, but God knows what I shall do now, for this has almost frightened our people out of their lives and interests, and besides those Indians are still out there, what did, as surely done, ye murder, as God is in heaven.

As Thomas Barton (by) himself was coming home, he stopped at a (grist) mill and took a bag of corn meal with him on his horse. Barton was about 400 yards from his house when about

Note 1: The date of this letter is not known, but it must have been sometime in late April, 1699, because the Virginia House of Burgesses started their investigation on May 9, 1699, and the letter was filed as completed on June 18, 1700. The letter was written by Lieutenant Colonel George Mason to his Excellency, Francis Nicholson, the Governor of Virginia.

20 Indians, as he guesses, tried to capture him and immediately had him (partly surrounded) in a half moon. He spurred his horse forward toward his home, but with the weight of the bag of meal the Indians almost caught him. However, with great difficulty he cut the bag loose and broke through a clearing in the woods and got safely to a neighbor's house.

I am of the opinion they (the Indians) had done all ye murder before, for undoubtedly they would have killed him but they had no arms, for he (Barton) said they never fired shot nor arrow. If they had had arrows, they would have killed him, for their arrows were of great force, for they have made holes in (Barton's) roof and house as big as a swann shot.

Sir: I have raised 12 (extra) men and have sent(them) every way to search our frontiers and back forest plantations and intend, God willing, to keep constantly moving myself with them until I have Your Excellency's commands, then I trust in God that we shall be able to give our people better protection than at present, for I am afraid we shall have a bad summer. But if it pleases God, we can keep them upon their plantations (and) it will be of some discouragement to the enemy, but those two (plantations) are deserted for this year. I do not doubt Your Excellency's christian care for ye good of His Majesties subjects, for without immediate care, I shall have but few plantations in Stafford (County). Nothing to add, but my humble servant to Your Excellency, may I conclude, as in duty, I am

Your Excellency's most humble servant,

G. Mason

(Note 1)

Note 1: "Virginia Calendar of State Papers" Vol #1, pages 69-70.

I have changed a few words and corrected some spelling to enable the reader to read with ease the Old English writing that I found in the calendar. Also, I have changed and corrected two errors that I found in the report. In one instance, I found that G. Mason counted the visiting wife as a child; and in another instance, Mr. Mason referred to our surviving Barton boy as an orphan, which is true, but only due to the fact that he was an orphan after his mother was killed in the Indian attack.

THOMAS¹ BARTON continued:

"The horrid murders of English women and children in the hunting creek neighborhood stirred Stafford County to new appreciations of the danger from this piscataway stronghold (Indian Camp)" . . . It was suggested "that probably the outrages had been committed by roving senecas and not the piscataway (Indians). However, this was not the case, as the House of Burgesses of Virginia later determined that it was the piscataways, and one of the Indians involved was called 'Esquire' Tom. (Note 1 and 3).

Since the House of Burgesses calendar says English women and children were murdered, and since this is the only such incident to happen in Stafford County at this time period, it must follow that after a thorough investigation of the atrocity, it was confirmed that more than one English woman was killed and scalped. For this reason, and also because our own personal Barton history handed down to us confirms the fact, I have taken the liberty to correct the original report made by Mr. Mason, to show that two women were killed in that Indian attack on the Barton home. It must also be remembered that women of that day married quite young, many times at the age of fourteen, our own Minerva Hopkins married our Matthew Barton at that age, so it would be easy to understand how Mr. Mason made the error in his first report. (See Note previous page).

"Bur" Harrison of the Stafford Court, at the direction of (Governor) Nicholson, of Virginia, carried a summons to the Emperor (Chief) of the Piscataways," asking the Chief to find the guilty Indians and have them punished, but the old Chief refused to do so and also refused to move his Indian camp. Finally, the Governor of Maryland intervened and persuaded the Indians to leave the area, but the Indians that were responsible for the massacre were never punished. (Note 1)

It is interesting to note that the Bur Harrison mentioned above is the same Bur Harrison who took our Thomas¹ Barton's plantation away from him in 1679, due to Thomas having faulty title to the land.

Although these extreme frontier hardships fell upon Thomas¹ Barton, the Barton motto: "Fide et Fortitudine," carried Mr. Barton forward to new ownership of land and a new life, for "in 1728 our Thomas¹ Barton sold 2,000 acres of land to Abraham Farrow in Stafford County, Virginia." (Note 2)

Note 1: "Fauquier Historical Society Bulletins", page 119,121

Note 2: "Virginia Historical Magazine" Vol. 34, page 346

Note 3: "Virginia House of Burgesses Papers", page 158-163.

THOMAS¹BARTON continued:

In the same year, 1728, it is recorded that both Thomas Barton and his wife, Grace, and Abraham Farrow bought and sold land, for "on April 5, 1728, Thomas Barton paid 400 Pounds of current money to Abraham Farrow for 400 acres of land in Stafford County, Virginia." (Note 1 and 2). From this information, we learn that Thomas Barton's second wife was named Grace. However, I have not been able to find the name of his first wife.

m. _____ unknown, killed and scalped by Indians.

ISSUE:

1. Name unknown - killed in Indian attack.
2. Name unknown - " " " "
3. Name unknown - " " " "
4. Thomas²Barton, Jr. b. 1687, Stafford Co., Virginia.

VALENTINE¹BARTON:

(See page 2, Note 3.)

Brother to our Thomas¹Barton. Valentine was born in England and came to America in 1669. He also landed in Maryland, but I am certain he went immediately to Stafford Co.Va., to work on a plantation, for at the end of 4 years he was given 50 acres of land. Valentine m. Ann _____ and died February, 1739, in Prince William Co., Va (which was formerly called Stafford Co.) Ann Barton was appointed administratrix of his estate (Note 3). His Will was probated in 1739 and he was quite wealthy, as it indicates he left money to 2 servant men, Edward Magee and Richard Millard. Most of his estate, however, went to his son, Valentine Barton Jr.²

ISSUE:

1. Valentine²Barton, Jr. b. c1706, Stafford Co., Va.
2. Others?

THOMAS²BARTON, Jr.: (THOMAS, Sr.¹)

Signed a lease in 1725. "Lease October 12, 1725, between Matt. and Sarah Moss of Stafford Co. Va., to Thomas Barton, Jr. Witness: Valentine Peyton and William Mason." (Note 1, page 7). Sometime before 1760, it is recorded that "our Thomas Barton sold land to Jacob Holtzclaw." (Note 4). I did not find who Thomas² married, but we know the following information from family history of our Barton family handed down:

ISSUE:

1. Matthew³Barton, b. c1726, Stafford Co., Va.
2. Others?

Note 1: "Stafford Co. Va., Court Records and 1724 Rent Roll" copied by J. Estelle King

Note 2: "Tyler's Quarterly Magazine" Vol.19, pages 2 and 55

Note 3: "Prince William Co.Va - Will Book" by Dorman, page 48-56

Note 4: "Wills and Marriages of Fauquier Co. Va." Page 2.

Inherited much of his father's estate in 1739, and in 1727 took a land grant in Fauquier Co. (formerly Stafford Co.)... "On the middle grounds between Broadrun and Bull Run, Valentine Barton took a (land grant) July 10, 1727, of 377 acres." (Note 1.) It is also recorded that "Valentine Barton, March 1757 was in the militia of Major John Frogg of the County of Prince William, Va. (which was formerly Stafford Co.). I do not know who Valentine Barton married, however:

ISSUE:

1. Valentine²Barton III b.c. 1763, Fauquier Co., Va.

* MATTHEW³BARTON: (THOMAS Jr.², THOMAS Sr.¹)

(I do not have a record of his marriage, but from family history I have been able to put together the following information:

ISSUE:

1. Thomas⁴Barton, b.c.1750, Prince William County, Va.
2. David⁴Barton, b.c.1752 " " " "
3. Elisha⁴Barton, b.c.1757 " " " "
4. Elijah⁴Barton, b.c.1757 " " " "(now called Fauquier County)
5. Others? Yes, probably John and Bur Barton.

Note: It is believed from letters exchanged between various Barton family members that Elisha and Elijah were twins.

THOMAS⁴BARTON: (MATTHEW³, THOMAS Jr.², THOMAS Sr.¹)

m. Sarah _____

ISSUE:

1. David⁵Barton, b.c.1775, m. Elizabeth McCormack, consent of Thomas and Sarah Barton and Mecager and Fanny McCormack. Elisha Barton, Surety. David and Elizabeth were married December 22, 1792, by Rev. Joseph Drury, Bedford Co. Va. (Note 2) (Note 3).
2. Others?

Note 1: "Fauquier during the Proprietorship" by Groome (see Index)

Note 2: "Marriage Bonds of Bedford Co., Va.", page 876

Note 3: In "Early Virginia Marriages by Corzier, page 17, I found a family of McCormacks living in Fauquier Co. Va, with the following recorded marriages: "John Adams m. Betsey McCormack July 25, 1785", and George Martin m. Elizabeth McCormack Oct. 24, 1785 A few years later, I found living in Franklin Co. Va a branch of the same McCormack family, indicating that when the Bartons moved from Fauquier to Bedford and Franklin Co., other neighboring families also made the same move. This was not uncommon in early history, as families moved together from one part of the country to another, for protection.

I also found a record of John and Stephen McCormack on the rent rolls for the year 1770... This was taken from "Wills, Administrations and Marriages in Fauquier Co., Va." by King, page 143. Later, in the "Bedford County Tax List 1800" taken from the Virginia Genealogist Vol.#7 page 66, I found Elisha Barton, Thomas Barton and Burr Barton. On page 118, I found Anderson McCormack, John McCormack, Micajah McCormack Sr Richard McCormack, and Micajah McCormack Jr. giving further proof that the families probably moved together. We know they intermarried twice.

*Note: Matthew may have been his middle name.

DAVID⁴ BARTON, b. cl752 (MATTHEW³ THOMAS, Jr.², THOMAS, Sr.¹)

m. _____ from the tax records, it is recorded
that he was a taxpayer in Franklin County,
Virginia, in 1786.

ISSUE:

1. Violet⁵ Barton, b. cl780, m. Robert Jones, Feb. 1,
1796, David Barton, Surety. (Note 1)
2. Sarah⁵ Barton, b. cl785, m. Jonathon Jones, Nov. 7,
1803, David Barton, Surety. (Note 1.)
3. James⁵ Barton, b. cl786, m. Susannah Martin, July 23,
1819. William Martin, Surety. Married by Rev.
Joseph Payne (Note 2).
4. Others? - yes, probably Joanna Barton

BUR⁴ (BURWELL?) BARTON, b. cl753. m. _____

ISSUE:

1. Susanna⁵ Barton, b. cl775m. daughter of "Bur" Barton,
married William Thornhill, February 25, 1789,
consent of "Bur" Barton (Note 1.)
2. Violet⁵ Barton, b. cl776, m. Alexander Brown,
February 20, 1791, Violet was the daughter of
"Bur" Barton. (Note 1.)
3. Others?

ELISHA⁴ BARTON, B. 1757, died 1843 (Note 3) (MATTHEW³, THOMAS, Jr.²,
THOMAS, Sr.¹)

Elisha was a Private in the Revolutionary War. He entered the service as a volunteer in the Militia of Virginia in the year 1781 in a company of Cavalry from the County of Fauquier in the said State where he then resided. The company was commanded by William Triplett and was marched first to the courthouse of Fauquier County. The company was designed to defend those places of most importance from sudden attack by the enemy upon the County. They were ordered next to the town of Falmouth near Fredericksburg, located on

Note 1: Letter from Esther Barton of Roanoke, Va., reporting information she had collected from various libraries in the Roanoke, Virginia area.

Note 2: "Marriage Bonds of Franklin County, Va." by Wingfield,
page 29

Note 3: "D.A.R. National Record", #42327, and verified by
#368755.

the Rappahannock River, Virginia. They went to Bowling Green and defended the great road leaving from Richmond to Fredericksburg in the County of Carolina. Their final march was to Yorktown, or to the neighborhood of that place, and in a short time Elisha Barton was discharged as his tour of time had expired and his services were no longer required as Cornwallis had been defeated and the British Army under Cornwallis surrendered a short time later. Elisha received an honorable written discharge, (Note 1) signed by Colonel Triplett, and returned to Fauquier Co. for a short time before moving that same year, 1781, to Bedford County, Virginia, where he settled on some land. He was born 1757, in Fauquier Co., Virginia, and died 1843 Bedford County, Virginia, and was buried at Vinton, Virginia, which is only 15 miles from Wirtz, Virginia, where many of our early Barton children were born and attended school. Note 1 and Note 2). Elisha⁴Barton married Priscilla Witt, November 1, 1787, certificate signed by Priscilla Witt herself. Andrew Tosh, Surety. Married by Rev. James Mitchell (Note 3 and Note 4.)

ISSUE:

1. Elisha⁵Barton, b.c.1788, m. Rebecca McManama, daughter of Paty. Married December 12, 1809, John Gilpin, Surety. (Note 3.)
2. Eunice⁵Barton, b.c.1798, daughter of Elisha⁴Barton, married Richard McCormack January 28, 1814 (Note 2.)
3. Nancy⁵Barton, b. 1795, married James McManaway, (Note 5.)
4. Others?

Note 1: U.S. Army Military Service Record of Elisha Barton #S 19198 and record #23926 and from letter dated June 27, written by Earl D. Church, Commissioner. (1929)

Note 2: Letter from Esther Barton, Roanoke, Va.

Note 3: "Marriage Bonds of Bedford Co. Va." page 876 (Note 6)

Note 4: D.A.R. Record Vol. 49 Patriot Index, page 41

Note 5: Information taken from D.A.R. National Record #42327 and verified by #368755

Note 6: This book "Marriage Bonds of Bedford Co. Va.", page 876, shows Priscilla Witt's name in error as Siller and as Lewsiller Witt. However, the D.A.R. Record, Vol. #49, Patriot Index page 41, shows the name correctly as Priscilla.

ELIJAH⁴ BARTON b. 1757 (MATTHEW³, THOMAS Jr.², THOMAS Sr.¹)

- m. Anna Senter Jan.28, 1792, consent of John and Elizabeth Senter. Elijah and Anna were married by Rev. Joseph Drury. David Barton, Surety (Note 2.) This Elijah Barton and Elisha Barton were twins (per information handed down in the Barton family) They fought for our freedom in the Revolutionary War of 1776.(Note 4.)

ISSUE: Unknown

VALENTINE³ BARTON, b.c1763 (VALENTINE Jr.2, VALENTINE Sr.¹)

m. _____

ISSUE:

1. David⁴ Barton, b. c1788, m. Ceziah Farmer, July 27, 1812. She was the daughter of Jesse Farmer, Valentine Barton, Surety. (Note 2.)
2. Valentine⁴ Barton Jr. b. c1791, m. Betsey Martin, July 27, 1815. John Martin, Surety. Married by Rev. Joseph Payne (Note 2.)

ELISHA⁵ BARTON: (ELISHA⁴, MATTHEW³, THOMAS Jr.², THOMAS Sr.¹)

- m. Rebecca McManama, Dec.12,1809. Rebecca is the daughter of Paty McManama. John Gilpin, Surety.

ISSUE:

1. Martha⁶, b. c1818 m. William Amos, May 26, 1841. Martha is the daughter of Elisha Barton, Surety John Barton, married by Rev. John Bowman. (Note 1.)

NANCY⁵ BARTON: (ELISHA⁴, MATTHEW³, THOMAS Jr.², THOMAS Sr.¹)

- m. James McManaway, b. 1796. Nancy and James were married Mar.6,1822. Nancy d.1874, James d.1845 (Note 3)

ISSUE:

1. Marquis⁶, L. McManaway b.1832 Bedford Co.Va (note 2,3)

EUNICE⁵ BARTON: (ELISHA⁴, MATTHEW³, THOMAS Jr.², THOMAS Sr.¹)

- m. Richard McCormack, Jan 28, 1814 (Note 3)

ISSUE: Unknown

MARQUIS⁶, L. McMANAWAY: (NANCY⁵, ELISHA⁴, MATTHEW³, THOMAS Jr.², Thomas Sr.¹)

- m. Nancy G. Williamson b. Mar. 17,1852, Callaway Co.Mo. Marquis L and Nancy were married June 6, 1875. Marquis d. Oct.19, 1902, Columbia, Missouri, Nancy died Aug.29, 1920, Columbus, Mo. (Note 3)

ISSUE:

1. Statie⁷ McManaway b. June 30, 1889, Fulton, Mo. m. James Cecil Griffin b. Sept.18,1882, Audrain Co.,Mo. James and Statie were m. Sept. 29, 1907 (Note 3)

ISSUE:

1. Dorothy Griffin b. Oct.25,1912, Columbia Mo. m. John W. Chenawltz Jr.Sept.12, 1937," ,Mo. (Note 3)

Note 1: "Marshall Wingsfield Work " page 22

Note 2: "Marriage Bonds of Bedford Co.,Va." page 876

Note 3: "D.A.R. "Record of Elisha Barton #423207

Note 4: "Fauquier County, Va. 1759-1959), page 309

DAVID⁵BARTON: (THOMAS⁴, MATTHEW³, THOMAS Jr.², THOMAS Sr.¹)

m. Elizabeth McCormack

ISSUE:

1. Joel⁶Barton, b.c.1795, m. Sarah "Sally" Wheeler, Jan.4, 1819, John Wheeler, Surety. m. by Joseph Payne. Joel is the son of David (Note 1). John Wheeler, the father of Sarah "Sally" Wheeler was married to Anna Nimmo, and John's father was Roland Wheeler. (Note 2.) (Note 1.)
2. Anderson⁶Barton b.c1800,m. Nancy Showather, March 1, 1823. (Note 3.)
3. Sally⁶Barton b.c1815 m. Cornelius Bandy,June 1838. Sally was the daughter of David Barton. (Note 3)
4. Polly⁶Barton, b.c1830 m. Gibbon Crews Aug.12,1846 Polly was the daughter of David Barton. (Note 3.)
5. Others?

JOEL⁶BARTON (DAVID⁵, Thomas⁴, MATTHEW³, THOMAS Jr.², THOMAS Sr.¹)

m. Sarah "Sally" Wheeler

ISSUE:

1. Matthew⁷Burwell Barton, b. Sept. 30, 1820, Franklin Co., Va. m. Minerva Hopkins Oct. 15, 1844, daughter of George Washington Hopkins, Bedford Co.Va. She was born April 22, 1830. The wedding took place at the plantation home of the bride's parents, George Washington Hopkins and Elizabeth (Dowdy) Hopkins. Matthew and Minerva Barton made their home on the "Old Barton Plantation" in Franklin Co., Va., and to this happy Barton family were born 3 daughters and 6 sons. During the Civil War, the "Old Barton Homestead" was burned to the ground and the family moved to the city of Roanoke. Here Matthew made a living for his family by teaching school, wood carving and making shoes. His specialty in wood working was the carving of beautiful beds and bedroom furniture. (Note 3.)

Note 1: "Marriage Bonds of Bedford Co., Va., page 876, page 73

Note 2: Information taken from "Old Barton Bible" that belonged to William Walter Barton's father, George William Barton, who was the son of Matthew Burwell Barton. The Bible is now in the possession of Mrs. Ruth (Cover) Barton, of Ripon, Ca.

Note 3: Letter from Esther Barton of Roanoke, Ba., and letter from Ruth Barton, Ripon, California.

BARTON LINE GENEALOGY

MATTHEW⁷ BURWELL BARTON continued:

At the close of the Civil War and after the birth of their seventh child, Mary Jane, May 30, 1865, this Barton family in 1866 moved Northwest to Cass Co., Indiana, by covered wagon, to escape the horrors of the Northern Military Rule, the Yankee carpetbaggers and a tax system that was imposed on the South by the Yankees that crushed the South to the point of starvation.

In the Summer of 1871, Matthew and Minerva, with their family, again loaded their covered wagon with their possessions and embarked upon a 500-mile overland journey which lasted approximately 40 days. They traveled in a westerly direction in search of new land. They drove four miles the first day and camped. The next morning they drove to Logansport and here a horse buyer offered \$250 for one of Matthew's horses. Although the horse only cost \$40, Matthew declined to sell, as he needed the horse for the long journey ahead. That night they went to the Wabash(River) and camped near a house owned by John Dick, who was working on an invention of perpetual motion. Day by day they traveled on until they came to Independence, Mo., where it was noted in their log book "Little frost but fine weather otherwise." Then "there came up a fresh " - (came a hard rain)- "Water came down the hill in front of the team, one of the Barton boys carried a block (of wood) to chuck the wagon, when they stopped to rest the horses." (The older Barton boys and girls walked much of the way on these journeys.)

"One day they traveled a distance of 18 miles and arrived in Kansas City late at night. They found a livery stable where they rested and slept." The next morning, they left Kansas City and entered the vast Kansas Prairies. (Probably by way of the 'Old Santa Fe Trail'). Here they encountered "an awful wind." "That night they camped on the Prairies of Kansas. Next day the wind was awful and they hastened on to the end of their journey." (Note 1). They finally arrived at their destination, Centropolis, Franklin County, in the newly-born state of Kansas and they arrived in mid-October where their last child, Silas Emmanuel Barton, was born, November 15, 1871.

The Barton family remained in Centropolis, Kansas, for about 18 months and in April, 1873, we have a new entry in the log book, which says: "In the Spring of the year 1873, we 'set sail' for Jewell County. It took 11 days to travel the 200 miles. We took five head of cattle, four horses and two wagons." - End (Note 1) here in Jewell County, Kansas, they established their homes and homesteaded land Matthew Burwell Barton died December 12, 1897. He was 77 years old, and was buried there. Minerva went to Douglas Co., Kansas, after her husband's death, and lived with her two daughters: Mrs. Henry C. Metsker (Mary Jane Barton), and Mrs. Elmer E. Sawyer (Nancy Katherine Barton.) Minerva died April 23, 1920, on the "Metsker Estate," at the home of her daughter, Mary Jane. Minerva had lived to be almost 90 years of age, lacking just a few days. She is buried in the Washington Creek Church cemetery, which is located just a couple of miles from the "Metsker Estate." (Note 2) (See next page)

BARTON LINE GENEALOGY

MATTHEW⁷ BURWELL BARTON continued:

ISSUE:

2. Jubal⁷ Barton, b. c1821 in Franklin Co., Va., m. Mary Elizabeth Hix b. November 26, 1817. Jubal and Mary Elizabeth were married November 23, 1841, in Franklin Co., Va., and moved from Virginia and settled on a farm near Brownsville, Ohio, in Brown County. He was a farmer and had large crops of corn and other produce.

In the fall of 1848, a storm destroyed much of his corn after it was cut and shocked in the field. Jubal tried to save this crop by working in the rain and water. He overworked, and due to his weakened condition and exposure to the severe weather, became ill with penumonia, from which he did not recover. He died March 30, 1849.

Mary Elizabeth Barton buried her husband in Brownsville, Ohio, and now, alone with three small children, sold all she possessed except the horses, wagon and what she could stack in the wagon and with her children drove back to Virginia to her brother's plantation, where she lived until her death January 6, 1894 (Note 3).

3. Patsy⁷ Barton b. _____ No further record (Note 3)
4. Others?

Note 1: Letter from Mrs. Ruth (Cover) Barton, quoting from log notes of Barton family journey and notes later written by George William Barton, who was about 14 years of age when the trip began in 1873.

Note 2: Information taken from letter from Esther Barton, letter from Lottie Christina (Barton) Bowser and "Old handwritten document handed down in Barton family and now in possession of author. Also handwritten document written by Silas E. Barton, in possession of his grandson, Francis J. Domingo.

Note 3: Information taken from letter from Esther Barton, great-granddaughter of Jubal Barton.

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MATTHEW⁷ BURWELL BARTON (JOEL⁶, DAVID⁵, THOMAS⁴, MATTHEW³,
THOMAS, Jr.², THOMAS, Sr.¹)

m. Minerva Hopkins b. April 22, 1830, d. February 23, 1920
(See Note 3)

ISSUE:

1. Sallie⁸ Ann Barton, b. Jan. 31, 1847, Wertz, Franklin Co. Va.
2. Matthew⁸ Burwell Barton, Jr. b. June 17, 1849, Wertz,
Franklin County, Virginia
3. John⁸ DAVID BARTON b. Sept. 20, 1851, Wertz, Franklin Co. Va.
4. Robert⁸ "Rob" Barton, b. July 21, 1853, Wertz, Franklin Co. Va.
5. George⁸ William Barton b. Oct. 24, 1857, Wertz, Franklin Co. Va.
6. Giles⁸ Daniel Barton b. Feb. 18, 1861, Wertz, Franklin Co. Va.
7. Mary⁸ Jane Barton b. May 30, 1865, Franklin Co. Va.
8. Nancy⁸ Katherine Barton b. May 13, 1868, Cass Co., Indiana
9. Silas⁸ Emanuel Barton b. Nov. 15, 1871, Centropolis,
Franklin Co., Kansas

(Note 1)

JUBAL⁷ BARTON (JOEL⁶, DAVID⁵, THOMAS⁴, MATTHEW³, THOMAS, Jr.²,
THOMAS¹, Sr.)

m. Mary Elizabeth Hix

ISSUE:

1. Ann⁸ Barton, b. c1843, in Brownsville, Ohio, married Henry Crouch and went to Texas.

ISSUE:

- a. Landona⁹ Crouch
- b. Allison⁹ Crouch
- c. James⁹ Crouch
2. Mary⁸ Elizabeth (Lizzie) Barton b. c1845, Brownsville, Ohio
married Spencer Amos. Spencer Amos died January 12, 1905

ISSUE

- a. Alzie⁹ Amos
- b. Cynthia⁹ Amos
- c. Elizabeth⁹ Ann (Betty) Amos
- d. Mary⁹ (Mollie) Amos
- e. Lee⁹ Amos
- f. Harvey⁹ Amos
3. James⁸ William Barton, b. October 17, 1848, Brownsville,
Ohio.

*Note 1: Information taken from "Old Handwritten Document",
handed down in the Barton family and now in possession
of the author*

Note 2: Letter from Esther Barton of Roanoke, Va.

*Note 3: Minerva Hopkin's brother, Tilghman Hopkins, was in the
Civil War. He was shot in the Battle of Port Republic
and died July 7, 1862*

BARTON LINE GENEALOGY

JAMES⁸ WILLIAM BARTON (JUBAL⁷, JOEL⁶, DAVID⁵, THOMAS⁴, MATTHEW³,
THOMAS, Jr.², THOMAS, Sr.¹)

m. Louise Bercha Kennett, January 20, 1874, in Franklin Co. Va.
James was a planter (farmer) in this County and died January 9,
1916 (Note 2 - on page 16)

ISSUE:

1. William⁹ Penn Barton, b. November 11, 1874, died November 10, 1926, in Franklin County, Virginia. He was a planter (farmer) of that County.
2. Louberta⁹ James Barton, born November 30, 1880, died February 5, 1900, in Franklin County, Va. She was a school teacher and never married. She died of scarlet fever.

SALLIE⁸ ANN BARTON (MATTHEW SR.⁷, JOEL⁶, DAVID⁵, THOMAS⁴,
MATTHEW³, THOMAS, Jr.², THOMAS, Sr.¹)

m. Abraham Gish, born December 6, 1848, in Wirtz, Franklin County, Virginia. Married on April 29, 1868. Sallie died October 30, 1888, in Jewel County, Kansas. Abraham died July 19, 1936, in Douglas County, Kansas. They were married in Cass County, Indiana.

ISSUE:

1. John⁹ Eddie Gish, b. July 24, 1871, Baldwin, Kansas, died February 16, 1875 - never married.
2. William⁹ David Gish, b. March 24, 1874, in Athens, Kansas, died April 18, 1922.
3. Mary⁹ Katherine Gish b. February 14, 1876, Athens, Kansas, died July 18, 1898
4. James Andrew Gish, b. December 23, 1877, Athens, Kansas, died December 31, 1931
5. Henry⁹ Gish, b. March 10, 1879, Athens, Kansas, died January 16, 1959
6. Minnie⁹ Minerva Gish, b. January 5, 1882, Athens, Kansas, d.
7. Robert⁹ Noah Gish, born June 9, 1885, Athens, Kansas, died September 28, 1918.

MATTHEW⁸ BURWELL BARTON, Jr. (MATTHEW Sr.⁷, JOEL⁶, DAVID⁵, THOMAS⁴,
MATTHEW³, THOMAS, Jr.², THOMAS, Sr.¹)

m. Amanda Ann Doubler, b. December 21, 1861, died March 26, 1931, in West Pomona, Kansas. Her father was Charles Doubler, and her mother was Emerence Adolph. Matthew died June 9, 1935. They were married February 15, 1877. He was called "Buryl" by friends.

ISSUE:

1. Charles⁹ Emmanuel Barton, b. April 25, 1878, in Jewel, Kansas, died October 9, 1964. Never married.
2. Henry⁹ Jacob Barton, b. June 13, 1882 in Jewel, Kansas
3. Mary⁹ Emerett Barton, b. April 8, 1887, Lyndon, Kansas
4. Martha⁹ Minerva Barton, b. Aug. 15, 1891, Michigan Valley, Kansas.
5. John⁹ Barton b. Dec. 25, 1901, in Michigan Valley, Ks.

BARTON LINE GENEALOGY

JOHN⁸ DAVID BARTON (MATTHEW³ Sr.⁷, JOEL⁶, DAVID⁵, THOMAS⁴,
MATTHEW³, THOMAS, Jr.², THOMAS, Sr.¹)

m. Mary Ann Metsker, daughter of John and Christina Metsker, was born in Henry County, Indiana, on September 25, 1853, and died January 26, 1898 (Note 1)

John David Barton lived in Lawrence, Kansas, for a time and was the treasurer of the "Church of the Brethren's Mutual Aid Society of Northeastern Kansas," from 1895 until 1899. This Society was an insurance Society set up by the brethren to lower their insurance costs on their houses and farm buildings. The insurance Society expanded from \$50,000 from its beginning on April 1, 1885, to over \$533,859 by 1889; and by December 1, 1918 the Society was up to \$3,300,745 and covered not only Kansas but also Oklahoma, Texas, Idaho, Oregon, Washington, New Mexico, California, Louisiana and Arkansas. (Note 2)

ISSUE:

1. Louella⁹ BARTON, born October 22, 1875, Lawrence, Kansas. Died December 16, 1963 - never married.
2. Christina⁹ Belle Barton, born March 29, 1877, Lawrence, Kansas
3. William⁹ Harvey Barton, born September 11, 1879, Lawrence, Kansas.

ROBERT⁸ "ROB" BARTON (MATTHEW³ Sr.⁷, JOEL⁶, DAVID⁵, THOMAS⁴,
MATTHEW³ THOMAS, Jr.², THOMAS, Sr.¹)

m. Never married.

Robert Barton died April 24, 1931, in Franklin County, Kansas. "Uncle Rob", as the family called him, was an outdoor-type man. He was rugged and liked to hunt. I remember "Uncle Rob" as a true friend who would take my cousin, John Henry Metsker, my brother, Arthur, and myself, on his hunting trips on the Metsker Estate, in Douglas County, Kansas. As a real hunter, he always "bagged" something. I remember one time when he caught a "possum," and knowing that grandmother, Mary Jane (Barton) Metsker, would not cook it, he built a fire in the woods and we hunters enjoyed a fine meal. The meat tasted very sweet - it was delicious. When "Uncle Rob" died, my grandmother found in his cabin in Franklin County, Kansas, \$50,000 in United States bonds. Nobody knew he had any money, but Grandmother thought he had won the money gambling. It became part of his Estate, and was distributed to his brothers and sisters.

Note 1: "Metsker Cousins by Dozens" by Gulah and Garman Daron of Oklahoma City, page 9

Note 2: "History of the Church of the Brethren in Kansas" by Elmer Le Roy Craik, pages 84, 85.

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BARTON LINE GENEALOGY: (MATTHEW Sr.⁷, JOEL⁶, DAVID⁵ THOMAS⁴,
MATTHEW³, THOMAS Jr.², THOMAS Sr.¹)

GEORGE⁸ WILLIAM BARTON

- m. Sarah Ann Teel, b. Jan. 20, 1870, Wirtz, Va.,
Franklin Co. d. Sept. 24, 1957, Salida, California.
Her father was Abraham Joel Teel and her mother was
Sarah Ann Kinzie. George d. December 7, 1940. They
were married Oct. 11, 1888, in Jewel Co., Ks.

ISSUE:

1. John⁹ Abraham Barton, b. July 6, 1889, Jewel Co., Ks.
2. William⁹ Walter Barton, b. Sept. 20, 1890 " " "
3. George⁹ Mower Barton, b. Jan. 12, 1893, in _____
d. Feb. 26, 1916, at _____ Ca. Never married.
4. Beulah⁹ Belle Barton, b. Ag. 16, 1895, Iona, Ks.
5. Harvey⁹ Buell Barton, b. Dec. 1, 1909, d. July 14, 1946.

GILES⁸ DANIEL BARTON

- m. Almeda North, b. Nov. 25, 1862, Sangamon, Ill. Her
father was Benjamin North. Giles d. Aug. 31, 1938,
in Oakland, California. They were married Nov. 15, 1880.

ISSUE:

1. John⁹ Edgar Barton, b. May 12, 1882, Glen Elder, Ks.,
d. October 27, 1950
2. Bessie⁹ Viola Barton, b. March 15, 1884, Glen Elder, Ks.,
d. October 11, 1911
3. Adelia⁹ Belle Barton, b. Aug. 22, 1886, Glen Elder, Ks.,
d. July 13, 1902
4. Grace⁹ Barton, b. Feb. 7, 1889, Glen Elder, Ks. d. Mar 26, 1889
5. Mary⁹ Chloe Barton, b. Aug. 16, 1890, Glen Elder, Kansas
6. Hazel⁹ Fern Barton, b. July 28, 1893 " " "
married Hemphrey Peel
7. Vern⁹ B. Barton, b. Dec. 7, 1896 " " "
8. Emery⁹ Burwell Barton, b. Feb. 27, 1898 " " "
m. Dorothy Willard
9. Charles⁹ Hugh Barton, b. May 27, 1907, Woods Co., Ok.
10. Marie⁹ Fay Barton, b. June 24, 1903, " " "
m. Richard Selby

BARTON LINE GENEALOGY

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THOMAS, Jr.², THOMAS, Sr.¹)

MARY⁸JANE BARTON:

- m. Henry Clay Metsker, b. May 11, 1861, d. Jan.6, 1937, at his home of natural causes as he slept. His home was located on the Metsker Estate, Douglas Co., Ks. His father was John C. Metsker and his mother was Christina Ulrich. Henry and Mary were married in Douglas County, Kansas. (Note 1.)

ISSUE:

1. Wegie⁹Mae Metsker, b. Oct. 2, 1883, "Metsker Estate", Kansas
2. Grace⁹Ethel Metsker, b. Sept.28,1885 " " "
3. Lottie⁹Christina Metsker, b. Nov.24, 1887 " " "
4. Ivy⁹Chloe-Mayme Metsker, b. Dec.1, 1890 " " "
5. Marvin⁹Cyrus Metsker, b. Dec. 10, 1893 " " "
6. Ruth⁹Marie Metsker, b. Mar. 23, 1896 " " "

NANCY⁸KATHERINE BARTON:

(Note 1)

- m. Elmer E. Sawyer, b. June 5, 1861, Clinton, Ks., d. Dec.16, 1940, at Lawrence, Ks. His father was Titus Sawyer and his mother was Zorada Snow. Nancy K. was born May 15, 1868, Cass Co., Indiana, d. Sept. 20, 1948, Modesto, Ca. Elmer and Nancy were married Beloit, Kansas, October 28, 1886.

ISSUE:

1. Leon⁹Sawyer, b. Sept. 4, 1888, Custer Co., Nebr. d. Feb.3,1973
2. Ethel⁹Sawyer, b. Sept.11,1891, Jewel Co., Ks. d. Dec. 12,1919
3. Wilbur⁹Sawyer, b. March 8, 1900, Lone Star, Kansas

SILAS⁸"SY" EMANUEL BARTON

- m. Dora Bond, Douglas Co., Ks. Silas and Dora were married _____. Silas died Feb. 16, 1952, Lawrence, Kansas.

ISSUE:

1. Letta⁹Barton, b. _____ m. Charles Brown
2. Gladys⁹Barton, b. Aug.29, 1895, m. Faustino Domingo
3. Alva⁹Barton, b. _____ m. _____.
4. Otto⁹Barton, b. _____ m. _____.
5. Ross⁹Barton, b. Jan.25, 1915, m. Marian Cripe. Ross Barton died Nov. 30, 1973, Marion Barton died December, 1973.

Note 1: The "Metsker Estate" in Kansas, was settled just before the Civil War in 1859, by John C. and Christina Metsker, parents of Henry Clay Metsker. The location of the "Estate" was Range 18, Township 14, Sections 11, 13 and 15. The Metsker home was located on Section 11. Besides these lands, John C. Metsker bought and bought and gave 160 acres to his daughter, Elizabeth Jane Metsker, who married Christian P. Miller, and he also bought and gave to his daughter, Sarah E. Metsker, who married Cyrus W. Flory, 360 acres of Kansas land. The original Estate consisted of more than 2000 acres. Another piece of land was given to the Dunkard Church, which is now called the Washington Creek Church of the Brethren.

BARTON LINE GENEALOGY

(JAMES⁸, JUBAL⁷, JOEL⁶, DAVID⁵, THOMAS⁴, MATTHEW³, THOMAS, Jr.²
THOMAS, Sr.¹)

WILLIAM⁹ PENN BARTON:

- m. Sarah Emma Josephine Simmons, b. Dec. 1, 1876, d. June 9, 1968. William and Sarah were united in marriage Christmas Eve, December 24, 1896. William Penn Barton died January 9 1916, and was buried in the Hix cemetery in Franklin Co., Virginia (Note 1.)

ISSUE:

- 1. Clara¹⁰ May Barton, b. Sept. 26, 1897, Franklin Co, Va. She married Emory Luther Scott Dec. 24, 1921, Roanoke, Va. She taught school for 3 years. No recorded issue.
- 2. Esther¹⁰, Barton, b. Sept. 14, 1899, in Franklin Co., Va. Esther taught school for 46 years in 4 Virginia School districts (Bedford, Tazewell, Franklin and Covington.) She was a graduate of Radford College, Va. in 1935, and is now retired and lives in Roanoke, Va., Esther Barton never married.
- 3. Clifton¹⁰ Early Barton, b. March 31, 1901, Franklin Co., Va., married Annie Lee Ayers July 2, 1927. He was a planter (farmer) and also worked for a lumber company and the Roanoke County School Board.

ISSUE:

- a. Mamie¹¹ Frances Barton, b. April 22, 1928,
m. Rev. William Pembroke Hall on June 23, 1951.
Mamie graduated from Madison College and now teaches school in Covington, Va.

ISSUE:

- 1. Carolyn¹² Barton Hall, b. Sept. 30, 1953. Carolyn is a graduate of West Hampton College, Richmond, Va. and now teaches music in Sandston, Va.
- b. Clifton¹¹ Early Barton, Jr. b. July 28, 1936
m. Sharon Ethridge, Oct. 1, 1961. Clifton, Jr. is a graduate of University of Richmond, Va. Taught school for 2 years and is now a chemist.

ISSUE:

- 1. Elizabeth¹² Paige Barton, b. Oct. 9, 1962
- 2. Christopher¹² Barton, b. Dec. 1963
- c. Linda¹¹ Lee Barton, b. Feb. 22, 1947
m. Robert Cleveland Fisher Sept. 28, 1968. Linda Lee attended Madison College and graduated from the University of Virginia at Charlottesville, Va. She graduated with a degree in Nursing.

ISSUE:

- 1. Robert¹² Cleveland Fisher, Jr. b. Jan. 19, 1971
- 2. Jennifer¹² Lee Fisher, b. Dec. 5, 1974.

Note 1: Information supplied by Esther Barton of Roanoke, Va.

BARTON LINE GENEALOGY

WILLIAM⁹ PENN BARTON continued

4. Moody¹⁰ Winfred Barton, b. Jan. 15, 1903
m. _____ his work has been Planter, Member of the Roanoke County School Board, employee at the Newport News shipyard in Virginia, and a Supervisor at Fort Eustus Army Post.

ISSUE:

- a. Lynwood¹¹ Stafford Barton, b. July 4, 1926
m. Jean A. Mayo, Aug. 29, 1953. Lynwood is a graduate of the University of California of Los Angeles, at Westwood, Calif. He served in the army and later worked as a radio technician in Norfolk, Va. At present he is the owner and operator of a tourist camp at Harpers Ferry in West Virginia.
5. Callie¹⁰ Laura Barton, b. Dec. 9, 1904
m. Rufus Grady Dillon Oct. 14, 1925. Callie Laura taught school for 5 years in Franklin County, Va.

ISSUE:

- a. Forest¹¹ Hereford Dillon, b. Aug. 6, 1926
m. Lillie Robbins April 2, 1948. Forest served 20 years in the United States Army.

ISSUE:

1. Joyce¹² Ann Dillon, b. Feb. 25, 1949
m. Leroy Trent

ISSUE:

- a. Kenneth¹³ Trent

2. --- James¹² Grady Dillon b. July 21, 1950

- a. Forest¹¹ Hereford Dillon (the one mentioned above)
m. (second marriage) Elsie Yeager in Germany.

ISSUE:

1. Ralph¹² Forest Dillon b. July 6, 1958, d. Apr. 16, '74
2. Ruth¹² Gail Dillon b. Dec. 18, 1959
3. Brenda¹² Lee Dillon, b. May 20, 1960
4. Rufus¹² Grady Dillon b. _____
5. Lore¹² Faye Dillon, b. May 5, 1968

- b. Lavina¹¹ Josephine Dillon b. Aug. 20, 1928
m. Paul Thomas Ellis Dec. 6, 1947

ISSUE:

1. Thomas¹² Joseph Ellis b. Nov. 8, 1950. Thomas is a graduate of Virginia Polytechnic Institute, Blacksburg, Va.
2. Susan¹² Diane Ellis, b. Mar. 7, 1956, is a graduate of Madison College, at Harrisonburg, Va., and is a school teacher.

- c. Clara¹¹ Louise Dillon, b. May 25, 1930
m. Ronald Pasley, Sept. 8, 1947. Clara is a graduate of the Cosmetology School, Roanoke, Va.

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c. Clara¹¹ Louise Dillon - continued

ISSUE:

1. Kenneth¹² McDowell Pasley b. Sept. 25, 1948.
m. Gloria Jean Pegans June 21, 1968. Kenneth served in the Marines and is a textile worker at Rocky Mount, Va.

ISSUE:

- a. Steven¹³ Kenneth Pasley b. Oct. 16, 1971
b. Rebecca¹³ Jean Pasley, b. Feb. 24, 1973
2. Ronnie¹² Michael Pasley, b. Oct. 17, 1950
m. Patricia Gale Dooley June 23, 1971. Ronnie is a textile worker at Rocky Mount, Va.

ISSUE:

- a. Michael¹³ Warren Pasley, b. Jan 28, 1974

- c. Clara¹¹ Louise Dillon
m. (second marriage) Warren Grover Light, Dec. 12, 1956
- d. Margie¹¹ Ellender Dillon, b. May 25, 1938
m. Ernest Mollenauer. Margie teaches school.

6. Ellen¹⁰ Louisa Barton, b. Oct. 16, 1906
m. Thomas Halifax Pugh June 18, 1925. Ellen Louisa taught school for 3 years in Franklin Co., Va. She died Nov. 6, 1975 and is buried in Franklin County Memorial Park.

ISSUE: no record

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BARTON LINE: (SALLIE ANN BARTON⁸, MATTHEW Sr.⁷, JOEL⁶, DAVID⁵,
THOMAS⁴, MATTHEW³, THOMAS Jr², THOMAS Sr.¹)

MARY⁹ KATHERINE GISH .

m. Chris Nelson Peterson, b. Sept. 10, 1860, Ostendruf, Denmark. His father's name was Peter Peterson, and his mother was Marie_____. He died Nov. 19. 1937, Modesto, California. Chris and Mary were married July 18, 1894, at Mankato, Kansas.

ISSUE:

1. Carl¹⁰ A. Peterson, b. Feb. 25, 1896, Iona, Ks.
2. Hallie¹⁰ Josiah Peterson, b. March 18, 1898, Iona, Ks.
3. Elsie¹⁰ Elizabeth Peterson, b. Oct 13, 1900, Iona, Ks.
4. Robert¹⁰ Ralph Peterson, b. Jan. 29, 1903, Iona, Ks.
5. Fannie¹⁰ Mae Peterson, b. March 9, 1905, Lawrence, Ks.
6. Rose¹⁰ Pearl Peterson, b. August 14, 1908, Lawrence, Ks.
7. Noah¹⁰ Nelson Peterson, b. July, 3, 1910, Lawrence, Ks.
- * 8. Lynn¹⁰ Abraham Peterson, b. February 12, 1912, Lawrence, Ks.
9. Emery¹⁰ Vernon Peterson, b. Sept. 8, 1914, Lawrence, Ks.

* Lynn was killed in World War II in Europe.)

WILLIAM⁹ DAVID GISH

m. Lilly Gulley. William David Gish died April 18, 1922
no further record.

JAMES⁹ ANDREW GISH

m. _____ James died December 31, 1931
no further record

HENRY⁹ GISH

m. Della Shipman. Henry Gish died January 16, 1959
no further record.

MINNIE⁹ MINERVA GISH

m. James Edward Hobbs, b. Dec. 2, 1876, Missouri. James
and Minnie were married June, 1898

ISSUE:

1. Walter¹⁰ Raymond Hobbs b. March 30, 1899, Kansas City, Ks.
2. Otis¹⁰ Alvin Hobbs b. Oct. 10, 1900, Lone Star, Ks.
m. Fern Metsker -- second wife - Phyllis Patterson
3. Lola¹⁰ Frances Hobbs b. Dec. 5, 1902, Lone Star, Ks.
m. Lester Schwartz August, 1927
4. Jessie¹⁰ Dee Hobbs b. _____ 1904, Lone Star, Ks.
5. Elva¹⁰ Mae Hobbs b. Feb. 27, 1907, Lone Star, Ks.
m. Archie Eichenberry, Jan. 27, 1927

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MINNIE⁹ MINERVA GISH continued

ISSUE:

6. Theodore¹⁰ Quinten Hobbs b. August 30, 1912,
Lone Star, Kansas.
m. Ola _____.
7. Carl¹⁰ Edward Hobbs b. June 20, 1918, Richland,
Kansas
m. Thelma _____.
8. Don¹⁰ Hobbs, b. _____ Richland, Kansas.

ROBERT⁹ NOAH GISH

- m. Effie Elizabeth Barnhart, b. December 12, 1889,
Ottawa, Kansas. Robert died September 28, 1918,
Washington Creek, Kansas. Robert and Effie were
married June 3, 1908, at Franklin, Kansas.
After Robert died, Effie married a second time,
to John Churchbaugh. After his death, she
married J. Wilmer Bowman, Modesto, California.
Effie's father was William Riley Barnhart and
her mother was Susie Whisler.

ISSUE:

1. Mildred¹⁰ Marie Gish, b. Feb. 7, 1909, Ottawa, Ks.
2. Wilma¹⁰ Mae Gish, b. Feb. 26, 1910, Lawrence, Ks.
3. Vida¹⁰ Irene Gish, b. Dec. 4, 1912, " "
4. Gladys¹⁰ Isabel Gish, b. Feb. 13, 1915 " "
5. Wilbur¹⁰ Riley Gish, b. May 24, 1917 " "
6. Robert¹⁰ Nelson Gish, b. Sept. 16, 1918 " "

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MATTHEW, Sr.⁷, JOEL⁶, DAVID⁵, THOMAS⁴,
MATTHEW³, THOMAS, Jr.², THOMAS, Sr.¹)

CARL¹⁰ A. PETERSON:

- m. Goldie Manetta Murphy, b. Oct. 18, 1895, Overbrook, Kansas. Her father was Thomas Murphy and her mother was Barbara Anne Flashman. Carl d. June 12, 1960, at the Veteran's Hospital in Oakland, California. Carl and Goldie were married December 24, 1917, in Lawrence, Kansas, Christmas Eve.

ISSUE:

1. Charles¹¹ Roscoe Peterson b. Nov. 1, 1919, Lone Star, Ks.
2. Betty¹¹ Lou Peterson, b. Dec. 9, 1924, Lawrence, Ks.

HALLEY¹⁰ JOSIAH PETERSON:

- m. Ora Hagerman, b. Jan. 30, 1898. Halley died Aug. 30, 1960, at Memorial Hospital, Ceres, California

ISSUE:

1. Mary¹¹ Ann Peterson, b. Sept. 10, 1935, Lawrence, Ks.
- m. Ted Crady
2. Norman¹¹ Talmadge Peterson, b. Aug. 23, 1937, Lawrence, Ks.
3. Donald¹¹ Franklin Peterson b. Mar. 28, 1930, Lawrence, Ks.

ELSIE¹⁰ ELIZABETH PETERSON:

- m. Jessie Wingert, b. Sept. 22, 1895, married Sept., 1918, Lawrence, Kansas

ISSUE:

1. Leo¹¹ Wingert, b. March 6, 1919, Lawrence, Kansas,
m. Margaret Alexander.
2. Merle¹¹ Wingert, b. July 30, 1922, Lawrence, Ks. Lost his life in Italy while serving in World War II.
3. Gene¹¹ Wingert b. Oct. 22, 1924, Lawrence, Kansas,
m. Ruth Gulley
4. Lloyd¹¹ Wingert, b. May 7, 1927, Lawrence, Ks.
m. Doris Cox
5. Clarence Wingert, b. Nov. 25, 1929, Lawrence, Ks.
m. Donna Johnson
6. Catherine¹¹ Wingert, b. Feb. 26, 1932, Lawrence, Ks.
7. Carol¹¹ Wingert, b. Apr. 2, 1936, Lawrence, Ks.
8. Jimmie¹¹ Lee Wingert, b. July 1, 1940, Lawrence, Ks.
9. Alfred¹¹ Nelson Wingert, b. Mar. 17, 1942, Lawrence, Ks.

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ROBERT¹⁰ RALPH PETERSON:

m. Juinetta _____

ISSUE: No record

FANNY¹⁰ MAE PETERSON:

m. Dan Beachler b. March 25, 1904, North Dakota. His father was Silas Beachler and his mother was Eliza Blocker. Dan and Fanny Mae were married April 11, 1928, in Modesto, California

ISSUE:

1. Shirley¹¹ Jean Beachler, b. March 30, 1929, Modesto, Ca.
2. Donivan¹¹ Carl Bleacher, b. May 15, 1932, Modesto, Ca.
3. Roland¹¹ Ross Beachler, b. Oct. 25, 1939, Modesto, Ca.
4. Mary¹¹ Lee Beachler b. May 1, 1941, Modesto, Ca.

ROSE¹⁰ PEARL PETERSON:

m. Raymond Gish, b. July 1, 1907, Modesto, Ca. His father was Trussel Gish and his mother was Lizzie Cool.

ISSUE:

1. Elton¹¹ Verle Gish b. Jan. 10, 1935, Modesto, Ca
2. Linda¹¹ Rae Gish, b. Sept. 13, 1942, Modesto, Ca

NOAH¹⁰ NELSON PETERSON:

m. Lucille Cartwright, b. Aug. 1, 1913

ISSUE:

1. Richard¹¹ Allen Peterson, b. Sept. 20, 1936, Modesto, Ca
2. James¹¹ Nelson Peterson, b. July 22, 1940, Santa Barbara
Ca
3. David¹¹ Lynn Peterson, b. Oct. 6, 1948, Sacramento, Ca

EMERY¹⁰ VERNON PETERSON:

m. Marjorie¹⁰ Barton, b. Sept. 9, 1920. Her father was William Walter Barton and her mother was Ruth Margaret Cover. Marjorie was born Sept. 9, 1920, Ripon, Ca and married Emery March 2, 1940.

ISSUE: (See Marjorie¹⁰ Alice Barton Genealogy)

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JOEL⁶, DAVID⁵, THOMAS⁴, MATTHEW³, THOMAS, Jr.², THOMAS, Sr.¹)

MILDRED¹⁰ MARIE GISH:

- m. Claude Edgecomb, b. Dec. 17, 1903, Overbrook, Ks. His father was John Edgecomb and his mother was Mary Barnhart. Mildred Marie and Claude were married Dec. 14, 1927, Lawrence, Kansas.

ISSUE:

- 1. Thelma¹¹ Irene Edgecomb, b. Nov. 18, 1928, Lawrence, Ks.
m. Owen Heck
- 2. Anna¹¹ Mae Edgecomb, b. Aug. 16, 1931, Ottowa, Ks.
m. Clyde Hirt

WILMA¹⁰ MAE GISH:

- m. Andrew Wagoner, b. Nov. 2, 1911. His father was Jacob Wagoner and his mother was Emma Plunkett.

ISSUE:

- 1. Melvin¹¹ Wagoner, b. Nov. 4, 1931, Garnett, Kansas
- 2. Rochelle¹¹ Wagoner, b. March 17, 1938, Garnett, Ks.
m. Larry Eichman
- 3. Donna¹¹ Sue Wagoner, b. April 12, 1946, Neosha, Mo.

VIDA¹⁰ IRENE GISH:

- m. William Flory, b. Sept. 25, 1910, Sawyer, Kansas. His father was Arthur Flory and his mother was Grace Cherry. William and Vida Irene were m _____

ISSUE:

- 1. Delbert¹¹ Eugene Flory, b. Oct. 3, 1940, Lawrence, Ks.

GLADYS¹⁰ ISABEL GISH:

- m. Alva Filbrun b. Dec. 26, 1915, Garnett, Kansas. His father was Henry Filbrun and his mother was Viola Boots.

ISSUE:

- 1. Darrel¹¹ Dean Filbrun, b. Mar. 8, 1938, Westphalia, Ks
m. Charlene Long
- 2. Dewayne¹¹ Leroy Filbrun, b. Aug. 5, 1940, Westphalia, Ks
- 3. Charlene¹¹ Elaine Filbrun, b. Sept. 29, 1942, " "
- 4. Clayton¹¹ Eugene Filbrun, b. Sept. 1, 1953, " "

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WILBUR¹⁰ RILEY GISH:

- m. Dorothy Johnson, b. Jan. 17, 1920, Bridgeville, Ks.
Her father was Fred Johnson.

ISSUE:

1. Robert¹¹ Frederick Gish, b. May 24, 1941, Bridgeville, Ks
2. Karen¹¹ Louise Gish, b. Nov. 23, 1942, " "
3. Ronald¹¹ Nelson Gish, b. Jan. 2, 1944 " "
4. Richard¹¹ Riley Gish, b. Dec. 9, 1945 " "

ROBERT¹⁰ NELSEN GISH:

- m. Lois Flory, b. May 4, 1921, Lawrence, Ks. Her father
was Irwin Flory and her mother was Verda Pence.

ISSUE:

1. Robert¹¹ Tyrone Gish, b. May 18, 1941, Lawrence, Ks.
2. Patty¹¹ Jo Gish, b. Feb. 16, 1943 " "
3. Larry¹¹ Dean Gish, b. Sept. 4, 1944 " "
4. Donald¹¹ Nelsen Gish, b. Nov. 23, 1945 " "
5. Judy¹¹ Kay Gish, b. Aug. 15, 1947 " "
6. Gary¹¹ Allen Gish, b. Aug. 21, 1948 " "

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MATTHEW³, THOMAS, Jr.², THOMAS, Sr.¹)

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BETTY LOU PETERSON:

- m. Robert Riede, b. March 19, 1915, San Raphael, Ca.
His father was Jacob Riede. Robert and Betty Lou
were married Sept. 28, 1946, Modesto, Ca.

ISSUE:

- 1. Stephen¹² Rae Riede, b. Apr. 15, 1947, Modesto, Ca
m. Annette Marie Blackburn, b. July 16, 1948.
Stephen Rae and Annette Marie were married Aug. 19,
1967.

ISSUE:

- a. Amy¹³ Marie Riede, b. Sept. 29, 1970
- b. Justin¹³ Allen Riede, b. Jan. 18, 1974
- 2. Janice¹² Kay Riede, b. Aug. 22, 1948, Sonora, Ca
m. John E. Matson II, b. Dec. 24, 1942. Janice Kay
and John E. were married Nov. 16, 1968.

ISSUE:

- 1. Nathan¹³ Michael Matson (A) b. July 29, 1973

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GISH⁹, SALLIE ANN BARTON⁸, MATTHEW Sr.⁷, JOEL⁶, DAVID⁵, THOMAS⁴
THOMAS Jr.², THOMAS Sr.¹)

MARY¹¹ ANN PETERSON:

- m. Ted Crady.

ISSUE:

- 1. Larry¹² Crady, b. Dec. 5, 1943, Modesto, Ca
- 2. Teddy¹² Crady, b. Nov. 24, 1945 " "

NORMAN¹¹ TALMADGE PETERSON:

- m. Josephine Giddens, b. June 16, 1939 " "

ISSUE:

- 1. Lonny¹² Peterson, b. May 7, 1951, " "

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LEO¹¹ WINGERT:

m. Margaret Alexander

ISSUE:

1. Bobbie¹² Wingert, b. June, 1943, Lawrence, Ks.
2. Steven¹² Kent, b. May 27, 1949 " "

GENE¹¹ WINGERT:

m. Ruth Gulley, 1949

ISSUE:

1. Shirley¹² Wingert, b. Sept. 5, 1952 " "

BARTON LINE GENEALOGY: (FANNY MAE PETERSON¹⁰, MARY KATHERINE GISH⁹, SALLY ANN BARTON⁸, MATTHEW Sr.⁷, JOEL⁶, DAVID⁵, THOMAS⁴, MATTHEW³, THOMAS Jr.², THOMAS Sr.¹)

SHIRLEY¹¹ JEAN BEACHLER:

m. Stanley Priebe, b. Apr. 28, 1928. Shirley Jean and Stanley were married Oct. 15, 1949, Modesto, Ca.

ISSUE:

1. Leslie¹² Ann Priebe, b. July 7, 1951, Sacramento, Ca
Leslie Ann m. Henrey Garcia, b. July 4, 1951

ISSUE:

- a. Aaron¹³ Garcia, b. Oct. 28, 1970
- b. Michael¹³ Garcia, b. Nov. 27, 1975

DONIVAN CARL BEACHLER:

m. Rita _____ Oct. 15, 1954

ISSUE:

1. Bambi¹² Lynn Beachler, b. Dec. 2, 1956
2. Ronda¹² Beachler, b. May 15, 1959

MARY¹¹ LEE BEACHLER:

m. Donald Crook, b. Aug. 16, 1936, Mary Lee and Donald were married Aug. 16, 1958

ISSUE:

1. Mark¹² Crook, b. April 1, 1959
2. Randhal¹² Crook, b. Feb. 23, 1961
3. Danny¹² Crook, b. Sept. 30, 1962

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SALLIE ANN BARTON⁸, MATTHEW Sr.⁷, JOEL⁶, DAVID⁵,
THOMAS⁴, MATTHEW³, THOMAS, Jr.², THOMAS, Sr.¹)

THELMA¹¹ IRENE EDGECOMB:

- m. Owen Heck, b. Dec. 15, 1926, Westphalia, Ks. His father was William Heck and his mother was Vera Hirt.

ISSUE:

1. Dennis¹² Heck, b. Feb. 11, 1953, Westphalia, Kansas
2. Janis¹² Heck
3. Rachel¹² Heck

ANNA¹¹ MAE EDGECOMB:

- m. Clyde Hirt, b. Dec. 19, 1928, Westphalia, Kansas. His father was Delmar Hirt and his mother was Florence Wagoner.

ISSUE:

1. Weldon¹² Eugene Hirt, b. June 24, 1951, Westphalia, Ks.
2. Darla¹² Hirt
3. Diane¹² Hirt.

BARTON LINE GENEALOGY: (WILMA MAE GISH¹⁰, ROBERT NOAH GISH⁹,
SALLIE ANN BARTON⁸, MATTHEW Sr.⁷, JOEL⁶, DAVID⁵, THOMAS⁴
MATTHEW³, THOMAS, Jr.², THOMAS, Sr.¹)

MELVIN¹¹ WAGONER:

- m. Elizabeth Mason, b. December 19, 1931, Sawyer, Kansas. Her father was Thomas Mason and her mother was Nellie Wray.

ISSUE:

1. Curtis¹² Hamton Wagoner, b. Dec. 16, 1953, Westphalia, Ks.
2. Craig¹² Wagoner
3. Cheryl¹² Wagoner
4. Carma¹² Wagoner

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BARTON LINE GENEALOGY: (MATTHEW, Jr.⁸, MATTHEW, Sr.⁷, JOEL⁶
DAVID⁵, THOMAS⁴, MATTHEW³, THOMAS, Jr.², THOMAS, Sr.¹)

HENRY⁹ JACOB BARTON:

- m. Nora Ellen Hicks, b. April 8, 1887, Lyndon, Kansas.
Her father was James Hicks and her mother was Elizabeth Nora.

ISSUE:

1. Elizabeth¹⁰ Lovina Barton, b. March 25, 1912, Michigan Valley, Kansas
2. Harvey¹⁰ James Barton, b. Oct. 27, 1913, Pomona, Ks.
3. Ruth¹⁰ Barton, b. _____ m. Thomas McMillan
4. Hugh¹⁰ Barton
5. Anna¹⁰ Mae Barton, b. Apl. 21, 1921
6. Burwell¹⁰ Barton

MARY⁹ EMERETT BARTON:

- m. Guy Mardsen, b. _____ Virginia. Guy and Mary were
m. October 8, 1919, Mich. Vly., Kansas

ISSUE:

1. Georgia¹⁰ Louise Marsden, b. July 7, 1921, Quenemo, Ks.
d. 1941

MARTHA⁹ MINERVA BARTON:

- m. Edwin Clifton Stewart, b. Feb. 9, 1887, Pratt City, Mo.
Edwin and Martha were married Aug. 6, 1919, Topeka, Ks.
Edwin died Aug. 31, 1943, Wadsworth, Kansas.

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DAVID⁵, THOMAS⁴, MATTHEW³, THOMAS, Jr.², THOMAS, Sr.¹)

HARVEY¹⁰ JAMES BARTON:

- m. Anna Belle Hopkins, b. August 23, 1916, Ottawa, Ks.
Her father was Leo H. Hopkins and her mother was Elba Hicks. Harvey and Anna m. July 20, 1935.

ISSUE:

1. Jerry¹¹ Thomas Barton, b. Jan. 28, 1937
2. Roy¹¹ Barry Barton, b. Nov. 5, 1945

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THOMAS⁴, MATTHEW³, THOMAS Jr.², THOMAS Sr.¹)

CHRISTINA⁹ BELLE BARTON:

m. Franklin Fishburn, b. Oct. 7, 1871

ISSUE:

1. Glenn¹⁰ Barton Fishburn, b. June 11, 1897, Lawrence, Ks.
2. Pearl¹⁰ Irene Fishburn, b. Mar. 12, 1899 " "
3. Aubrey¹⁰ Franklin Fishburn, b. Dec. 6, 1902 " "
4. Thelma¹⁰ Lucille Fishburn, b. July 4, 1918 " "

BARTON LINE GENEALOGY: (CHRISTINA BELLE BARTON⁹, JOHN⁸, MATTHEW Sr.⁷,
JOEL⁶, DAVID⁵, THOMAS⁴, MATTHEW³, THOMAS Jr.², THOMAS Sr.¹)

GLENN¹⁰ BARTON FISHBURN:

m. Hazel Arletta Huston, b. Feb. 27, 1895, Baldwin, Kansas.
d. Dec 29, 1959. Glenn and Hazel were married Dec. 19,
1917, Baldwin, Kansas.

ISSUE:

1. Marguerite¹¹ Isabel Fishburn, b. Aug. 19, 1919, Baldwin, Ks
2. Franklin¹¹ John Fishburn, b. Nov. 18, 1921 " "

PEARL¹⁰ IRENE FISHBURN:

m. Martin Douglas Flory, b. July 24, 1891, Lone Star, Ks.
His father was John M. Flory and his mother was Sarah
Anderson. Martin and Pearl were married Oct. 11, 1916,
Lone Star, Kansas.

ISSUE:

1. Vena¹¹ Mae Flory, b. Jan. 14, 1918, Richland, Ks.)
2. Vera¹¹ Fae Flory, b. Jan. 14, 1918, " " } twins
3. Martin¹¹ Douglas Flory, Jr. b. Jan. 22, 1920, Lone Star, Ks
4. Arlene¹¹ Rosalie Flory, b. Dec. 10, 1921, " " "

AUBREY¹⁰ FRANKLIN FISHBURN:

m. Dorothy Louise Griffith, b. Apr. 27, 1903. Her father
was Louis H. Griffith and her mother was Bertie Alder.
Aubrey and Dorothy were married Apr. 27, 1924, Richland, Ks

ISSUE:

1. Melvin¹¹ Nelson Fishburn, b. Sept. 2, 1927, Lawrence, Ks.
2. Gordon¹¹ Louis Fishburn, b. Feb. 26, 1932 " "
3. Alvin¹¹ Martin Fishburn, b. Mar. 8, 1933 " "

THELMA¹⁰ LUCILLE FISHBURN:

m. Rullell C. Kightlinger, b. Dec. 20, 1903, d. May 8, 1970

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BARTON⁹, JOHN⁸, MATTHEW, Sr.⁷ JOEL⁶, DAVID⁵, THOMAS⁴
MATTHEW³, THOMAS, Jr.², THOMAS, Sr.¹)

MARGARET¹¹ ISABEL FISHBURN:

m. Charles Robert Barncord, b. Oct. 11, 1919, Lyon Co., Ks.

ISSUE:

1. Gary⁹ Robert Barncord, b. Dec. 18, 1942, Sedgewick Co. Ks

m. Dolores Noreen Taylor, b. Oct. 14, 1942

ISSUE:

a. Kenneta¹⁰ Loreen Barncord, b. March 2, 1962

2. Linda⁹ Jo Barncord, b. May 27, 1955

FRANKLIN¹¹ JOHN FISHBURN:

m. Fern Edith Renberger b. Dec. 11, 1922. Her father was
Glen Renberger and her mother was Mae Volkel. Franklin
and Fern were married Sept. 19, 1942, La Cross, Ks.

ISSUE:

1. Arlene¹² Kaye Fishburn, b. Apr. 1, 1945, Oklahoma City, Ok
m. Dallas O. Goble

ISSUE:

a. Lance¹⁰ Nevada Goble, b. July 14, 1969

2. Anita¹² Lynn Fishburn, b. April 4, 1949, Manhattan, Ks

m. Tom Klag

ISSUE: No record

3. Casey¹² Glen Fishburn, b. January 14, 1956

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BARTON⁹, JOHN⁸, MATTHEW, Sr.⁷ JOEL⁶, DAVID⁵, THOMAS⁴,
MATTHEW³, THOMAS, Jr.², THOMAS, Sr.¹)

VENA¹¹ MAY FLORY:

m. Dale Marco Stucky, b. Sept. 7, 1919. His father was
Daniel Stucky and his Mother was Anna _____. Dale
and Vena were married June 13, 1943.

ISSUE:

1. Mark¹² Flory Stucky, b. June 7, 1947, Wichita, Ks

2. Gregory¹² Jacob Stucky, b. Dec. 13, 1948 " "

m. Carol Susan Unrau, May 30, 1971

3. Barbara¹² Jean, b. May 13, 1950, " "

4. Deborah¹² Dale Stucky, b. Dec. 18, 1953 " "

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MATTHEW³, THOMAS Jr.², THOMAS Sr.¹)

VERA¹¹ FAY FLORY:

- m. Halbert Earl Whitaker, b. Sept. 6, 1915, Chicago, Ill.
His father was Laurie Whitaker and his mother was
Mable Alice Thomas. Halbert and Vera were married
June 29, 1941.

ISSUE:

1. Marsha¹² Ann Whitaker, b. May 8, 1946, Cleveland, Ohio
2. Nancy¹² Beth Whitaker, b. Aug. 8, 1952, Berea, Ohio

MARTIN¹¹ DOUGLAS FLORY, Jr.:

- m. Caroline Alma Brown, b. June 20, 1923. Her father
was Lawrence Brown and her mother was Edna _____.
Martin Jr. and Caroline were married Jan. 26, 1946,
Portland, Maine

ISSUE:

1. Cheryl¹² Marie Flory, b. May 1, 1952, Akron, Ohio
2. Christina¹² Gretchen Flory, b. June 12, '54 " "

ARLENE¹¹ ROSALIE FLORY:

- m. John Keller Kough, b. May 14, 1922, Waterloo,
Iowa. His father was Floyd Kough and his mother was
Elsie Plough.

ISSUE:

1. John¹² Keller Kough, Jr., b. Dec. 27, 1945
- m. Patricia McCoush

ISSUE:

- a. Jeffrey John Kough, b. Feb. 2, 1969
- b. Joanne Cynthia Kough, b. June 5, 1971
2. Colin¹² Kough, b. July 3, 1948
- m. Sally Sheriden, b. May 22, 1954
3. Anna¹² Loree Kough, b. Oct. 25, 1951, Lone Star, Ks
- m. Timothy Roy Lickness, b. Mar. 14, 1947

BARTON LINE GENEALOGY

BARTON LINE GENEALOGY: (AUBREY FRANKLIN FISHBURN¹⁰, CHRISTINA BELLE BARTON⁹, JOHN⁸, MATTHEW Sr.⁷, JOEL⁶, DAVID⁵, THOMAS⁴, MATTHEW³, THOMAS Jr.², THOMAS Sr.¹)

MELVIN¹¹ NELSON FISHBURN:

- m. Donnis L. Wampler, b. Feb. 28, 1926, McPherson, Ks. Her father was Henry Franklin Wampler, and her mother was Nancy Mary John. Melvin and Donnis were married at McPherson, Ks., June 27, 1948.

ISSUE:

1. Donna¹² Layne Fishburn, b. Feb. 15, 1952, McPherson, Ks
2. David¹² Leon Fishburn, b. Mar. 22, 1953, Newton, Ks
3. Terri¹² Lynn Fishburn, b. July 21, 1956
4. Traci¹² Louise Fishburn, b. April 17, 1961

GORDON¹¹ LOUIS FISHBURN: No further record

ALVIN¹¹ MARTIN FISHBURN:

- m. Angeline Mae Flory, b. April 30, 1931. Her father was Norman Flory and her mother was Lizzie _____. Alvin and Angeline were married April 27, 1954, Lawrence, Ks.

ISSUE:

1. Allen¹² Michael Fishburn, b. Oct. 30, 1954, Lincoln, Nebr.
2. Arlon¹² Mark Fishburn, b. Nov. 15, 1956
3. Anne¹² Marie Fishburn, b. December 3, 1960
4. Adrian¹² Mitchell Fishburn, b. May 7, 1962
5. Amy¹² Michelle Fishburn, b. Nov. 21, 1967

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BARTON LINE GENEALOGY: (JOHN⁸, MATTHEW Sr.⁷, JOEL⁶, DAVID⁵,
THOMAS⁴, MATTHEW³, THOMAS, Jr.², THOMAS, Sr.¹)

WILLIAM⁹ HARVEY BARTON

m. Myrtle Minerva Woodward, b. 1881, d. 1909

m. Iva Stanwix, b. Oct. 16, 1886

ISSUE:

1. William¹⁰ Lanier Barton, b. April 5, 1906, d. Jan. 1920

2. Agnes¹⁰ Marion Barton b. Aug. 15, 1914

BARTON LINE GENEALOGY: (WILLIAM⁹, JOHN⁸, MATTHEW, Sr.⁷, JOEL⁶
DAVID⁵, THOMAS⁴, MATTHEW³, THOMAS, Jr.², THOMAS, Sr.¹)

WILLIAM¹⁰ LANIER BARTON: No further record.

AGNES¹⁰ MARION BARTON

m. Harold Clarence Herschell, b. May 15, 1912

ISSUE:

1. Mary¹¹ Ann Herschell, b. March 12, 1930

m. Robert Earl Chamberlin, b. Oct. 28, 1927

ISSUE:

a. James¹² R. Chamberlin, b. Jun. 22, 1953

b. Nancy¹² Joyce Chamberlin, b. Mar. 6, 1955

c. Peggy¹² Marie Chamberlin, b. June 27, 1956

d. John¹² David Chamberlin, b. Dec. 29, 1957

e. Robert¹² Dean Chamberlin, b. Oct. 16, 1960

f. Shirley¹² Ann Chamberlin, b. July 18, 1965

2. Kathryn¹¹ Joyce Herschell, b. Sept. 22, 1931

m. Richard Lyle Davis, b. Oct. 10, 1928

ISSUE:

a. Julie¹² Diane Davis, b. Jan. 9, 1957

b. Richard¹² Scott Davis, b. Apr. 18, 1959

c. Marcia¹² Gay Davis, b. Dec. 17, 1960

d. Ellen¹² Gayle Davis, b. May 20, 1962

e. Steven¹² Lyle Davis, b. Apr. 20, 1964

3. William¹¹ Harold Herschell, b. July 12, '49, d. Apr. 14, '68

BARTON LINE GENEALOGY

BARTON LINE GENEALOGY: (GEORGE⁸, MATTHEW Sr.⁷, JOEL⁶, DAVID⁵,
THOMAS⁴, MATTHEW³, THOMAS Jr.² THOMAS Sr.¹)

JOHN⁹ ABRAHAM BARTON:

- m. Fanny Orpha Cover, b. Aug. 28, 1893. Her father was Joseph Cover and her mother was Anna Mohler. She d. _____, 1973, Riversbank, Calif. John d. Jan. 17, 1973, Modesto, Ca. John and Orpha were married Modesto, Ca., Dec. 16, 1914. They own a ranch near Modesto, Ca. and John also raised show horses and won many prizes at various County Fairs.

ISSUE:

1. Myrtle¹⁰ Marie Barton, b. Nov. 15, 1915, Modesto, Ca.
2. Wilmer¹⁰ Carman Barton, b. Oct. 9, 1918, " "
3. Hazel¹⁰ Ann Barton, b. Mar. 13, 1920 " "
4. Earl¹⁰ Wallace Barton, b. Oct. 2, 1923 " "

WILLIAM⁹ WALTER BARTON:

- m. Ruth Margaret Cover, b. July 6, 1895, Covington, Ohio. Her father was Joseph Cover and her mother was Anna Mohler. William d. Mar. 29, 1956, Ripon, California. William and Ruth were married May 20, 1916, Modesto, Ca. They owned an almond ranch near Ripon, Calif., which is now operated by Lloyd W. Barton, their son.

ISSUE:

1. Vida¹⁰ Ruth Barton, b. July 14, 1917, Ripon, Ca.
2. Lloyd¹⁰ William Barton, b. Aug. 9, 1918 " "
3. Marjorie¹⁰ Alice Barton, b. Sept. 9, 1920 " "

BEULAH⁹ BELLE BARTON:

- m. John Wilmer Bowman, b. April 13, 1890. His father was William Bowman and his mother was Alice Gish. Beulah d. Feb. 21, 1951, Modesto, Ca. John Wilmer and Beulah Belle were married Aug. 5, 1915, Modesto, Ca. The Bowmans also owned a ranch in the Modesto area.

ISSUE:

1. Ada¹⁰ Belle Bowman, b. Nov. 25, 1917, Modesto, Ca.
2. Merle¹⁰ Wilmer Bowman, b. Oct. 20, 1919, " "

HARVEY⁹ BUELL BARTON:

- m. Pearl Ballard. Harvey died July 14, 1946.

ISSUE: None

BARTON LINE GENEALOGY

BARTON LINE GENEALOGY: (JOHN⁹, GEORGE⁸, MATTHEW, Sr.⁷, JOEL⁶,
DAVID⁵, THOMAS⁴, MATTHEW³, THOMAS, Jr.², THOMAS, Sr.¹)

MYRTLE¹⁰ MARIE BARTON:

- m. Hubert Rudolph Mohler, b. Dec. 7, 1909, Covington, Ohio
His father was David Mohler and his mother was Mazie
Hyer. Myrtle and Hubert were married Sept. 13, 1937,
in Modesto, Ca

ISSUE:

1. Marjorie¹¹ Joy Mohler, b. Nov. 22, 1943, in Troy, Ohio

WILMER¹⁰ CARMEN BARTON:

- m. Sarah Mae Garber b. Nov. 24, 1923, Modesto, Ca. Her
father was Henry Garber and her mother was Ada
Filbrun. Wilmer and Sarah were united in marriage
Oct. 9, 1940, at Modesto, Ca

ISSUE:

1. Michael¹¹ Lynn Barton, b. Oct. 9, 1945, Modesto, Ca
2. Karen¹¹ Louise Barton, b. Oct. 9, 1944, " "
3. Claudia¹¹ Ann Barton, b. Aug. 29, 1949 " "

HAZEL¹⁰ ANN BARTON:

- m. Mervin Edward Wolf, b. July 3, 1919, Modesto, Ca.
His father was Levi Wolf and his mother was Nellie
Garber. Mervin and Hazel were married June 24, 1940,
at Modesto, Ca. Hazel Ann Barton died June, 1967.

ISSUE:

1. Myrna¹¹ Louise Wolf, b. June 10, 1941, Modesto, Ca
2. Janice¹¹ Marie Wolf, b. Nov. 24, 1942, " "
3. Marvin¹¹ Earl Wolf, b. Sep. 18, 1944 " "

EARL¹⁰ WALLACE BARTON:

- m. Eileen Jarboe, b. Nov. 12, 1930, Quinter, Ks. Her
mother is Katherine Wolf and her father is Samuel
Jarboe. Earl and Eileen were married Oct. 2, 1949,
Modesto, Ca.

ISSUE:

1. James¹¹ Patrick Barton, b. Sept. 25, 1953, Modesto, Ca
2. Carol¹¹ Lynne Barton, b. Sept. 1, 1956, " "
3. Sallie¹¹ Lee Barton, b. May 2, 1963, " "
4. John¹¹ William Barton, b. Jul. 11, 1964 " "

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DAVID⁵, THOMAS⁴, MATTHEW³, THOMAS, Jr.², THOMAS, Sr.¹)

VIDA¹⁰ RUTH BARTON:

- m. Kenneth James Keirn, b. Apr. 9, 1914, Enid, Oklahoma.
His father is James Keirn and his mother is Lucy
Hipsher. Kenneth and Vida were married Dec. 3,
1936, Ripon, Ca

ISSUE:

1. Marlene¹¹ Marie Keirn, b. Oct. 28, 1938, Modesto, Ca.
m. Wilfred Lewis Egerer, b. Nov. 10, 1935. Wilfred
and Marlene were married Aug. 29, 1964

ISSUE:

- a. Matthew¹² Lewis Egerer, b. Aug. 3, 1972
2. Daryll¹¹ Warren Keirn, b. Nov. 9, 1942, Modesto, Ca
m. Tennie Elaine Cheatham, b. May 27, 1944. Daryll
and Tennie were married Feb. 23, 1963

ISSUE:

- a. Troy¹² James Keirn, b. Dec. 23, 1966
- b. Deanna¹² Lea Keirn, b. Mar. 15, 1969

Second m. Carol Marie Mayo, b. Nov. 24, 1942.
Daryll and Carol were married March 23, 1975

ISSUE:

- a. (A) Carl¹² Edward G. Keirn, b. Aug. 28, 1959
- b. (A) Judy¹² Carol G. Keirn, b. Feb. 27, 1967

LLOYD¹⁰ WILLIAM BARTON:

- m. Clara Belle Flory, b. Jan. 10, 1922, at Modesto, Ca.
Father is Daniel Lester Flory and her mother is
Maxie Mildred Grover. Lloyd and Clara were married
Dec. 26, 1953

ISSUE:

1. Rachael¹¹ Irene Barton, b. Jan. 11, 1955, Ripon, Ca
2. Margaret¹¹ Louise Barton, b. May 23, 1956 " "
3. Mary¹¹ Anne Barton, b. Aug. 1, 1958, " "
4. Paul¹¹ William Barton, b. Feb. 2, 1962 " "

MARJORIE¹⁰ ALICE BARTON:

- m. Emery Vernon Peterson, b. Sept. 8, 1914, Lawrence, Ks.
His father is Chris Peterson and his mother is Mary
K. Gish. Emery Vernon and Marjorie were married
March 2, 1940, at Ripon, Ca.

ISSUE: See next page

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MARJORIE¹⁰ ALICE BARTON continued

ISSUE:

1. William¹¹ Allen Peterson, b. Jan. 17, 1942, Modesto, Ca
- m. Delores Carol Brant, b. June 11, 1942. William and Delores were married October 15, 1960. Delores died June 18, 1966.

ISSUE:

- a. Todd¹² Allan Peterson, b. May 19, 1962
- m. - - Second m. Lyna Smithhart, b. Sept. 18, 1942. William and Lyna were married Aug. 12, 1967.

ISSUE:

- a (A) Jeffery¹² Lane Smithhart Peterson, b. Apr. 25, 1961
- b. (A) Jay¹² Douglas Smithhart Peterson, b. Jul 14, 1963
- c. Barry¹² William Peterson, b. June 1, 1968
2. Judith¹¹ Lynn Peterson, b. Jan. 9, 1944, Modesto, Ca
- m. Jerald (Jerry) Othie Burch, b. May 23, 1940, Judith and "Jerry" were married Nov. 23, 1963

ISSUE:

- a. Skelli¹² Eileen Burch, b. July 15, 1964
- b. Kelli¹² Elise Burch, b. May 30, 1967
3. Dennis¹¹ Eugene Peterson, b. June 16, 1947, Modesto, Ca
- m. Rachael Ross b. June 23, 1947. Dennis and Rachael were married December, 1969.

ISSUE:

- a. Michelle¹² Alice Peterson, b. Sept. 10, 1970.

BARTON LINE GENEALOGY: (BEULAH⁹, GEORGE⁸, MATTHEW, Sr.⁷, JOEL⁶, DAVID⁵, THOMAS⁴, MATTHEW³, THOMAS, Jr.², THOMAS, Sr.¹

ADA¹⁰ BELLE BOWMAN: ----- See Addition sheet at back of this book for more Palmer information .

- m. William Ware Palmer, Jr., b. May 13, 1918, Tennessee. His father is William Ware Palmer, Sr., and his mother is Margaret Boswell. William and Ada were married July 15, 1945, Chattanooga, Tenn.

ISSUE:

1. William¹¹ Ware Palmer III, b. Jan. 17, 1948, Knoxville, Tenn.
2. Pamela¹¹ Bowman Palmer, b. June 27, 1950, Schenectady, NY

MERLE¹⁰ WILMER BOWMAN

- m. Norma Laverne Cronk, b. Jan. 12, 1921, at Modesto, Ca. Her father is Jessie Cronk and her mother is Hanna Oplinger. Merle and Norma married Nov. 15, 1941, Modesto, Ca.

ISSUE:

1. John¹¹ Eric Bowman b. Jan. 31, 1944, Modesto, Ca.
2. Douglas¹¹ Lee Bowman, b. May 2, 1946 " "

BARTON LINE GENEALOGY

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JOEL⁶, DAVID⁵, THOMAS⁴, MATTHEW³, THOMAS Jr.², THOMAS Sr.¹)

MARJORIE¹¹ JOY MOHLER:

m. Richard Burke

ISSUE:

1. Michael¹² Elliot Burke
2. Sarah¹² Burke

BARTON LINE GENEALOGY: (Wilmer¹⁰, JOHN⁹, GEORGE⁸, MATTHEW Sr.⁷
JOEL⁶, DAVID⁵, THOMAS⁴, MATTHEW³, THOMAS Jr.², THOMAS Sr.¹)

KAREN¹¹ LOUISE BARTON:

m. Ollie Johnson, December, 1962

ISSUE:

1. Kimberly¹² Kay Johnson, b. June 24, 1964
 2. Matthew¹² Troy Johnson, b. Oct. 7, 1970
- m. Second marriage to Donald Pons, Oct. 5, 1974 -
Karen and Donald now live in Santz Cruz, Ca.

MICHAEL¹¹ LYNN BARTON:

m. Naomi June Bauman, b. June 11, 1944. Michael Lynn
and Naomi June were united in marriage June 4, 1967

ISSUE:

1. Heather¹² June Barton, b. July 8, 1968
2. Michael¹² Aaron Barton, b. Feb. 2, 1971
3. Heidi¹² Lynn Barton, b. July 4, 1973

CLAUDIA¹¹ ANN BARTON:

m. Rodney Howard Flory, b. July 19, 1947. Claudia and
Rodney Howard were married April 4, 1970.

ISSUE:

1. Gina¹² Renee Flory, b. May 29, 1971, Modesto, Ca
2. Jason Howard Flory, b. Nov. 9, 1973, " "

BARTON LINE GENEALOGY: (HAZEL¹⁰, JOHN⁹, GEORGE⁸, MATTHEW, Sr.⁷,
JOEL⁶, DAVID⁵, THOMAS⁴, MATTHEW³, THOMAS Jr.², THOMAS Sr.¹)

JANICE¹¹ MARIE WOLF:

m. Dave Cassell, b. March 19, 1941. Janice Marie and
Dave were married March 31, 1961.

ISSUE:

1. Marty¹² Cassell, b. Nov. 27, 1961
2. Steven¹² Cassell, b. Oct. 6, 1963

MARVIN¹¹ EARL WOLF:

m. Nawana McCarty, b. Sept. 15, 1945. Marvin Earl and
Nawana were married July 31, 1965

ISSUE:

1. Michael¹² Earl Wolf, b. May 13, 1968

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THOMAS⁴, MATTHEW³, THOMAS, Jr.², THOMAS, Sr.¹)

JOHN⁹ EDGAR BARTON:

m. Anna Orth, b. July 16, 1888. Bertha, Minn. Her father was Rudolph Orth and her mother was Anna Baewald. John and Anna were married April 29, 1913, Modesto, Ca. John d. Oct. 27, 1950, Modesto, Ca.

ISSUE:

1. Kenneth¹⁰ Orlo Barton, b. Oct. 21, 1913, Toulumne, Ca
2. Merle¹⁰ Edgar Barton, b. Apr. 6, 1917, Modesto, Ca
3. Loren¹⁰ Dale Barton, b. Sept. 20, 1920, Turlock, Ca
4. Mildred¹⁰ Arlene Barton, b. Jan. 14, 1924, Tracy, Ca

MARY⁹ CHLOE BARTON:

m. Fred Smith, b. Jan. 29, 1884, Montague, Texas. His father was Frank Smith and his mother was Amanda Rector. Fred and Mary were married Sept. 21, 1910.

ISSUE:

1. Bernard¹⁰ Frank Smith, b. Aug. 2, 1912, Forrest Grove, Ore.
2. Charlene¹⁰ Smith, b. June 5, 1914, Modesto, Ca.

BARTON LINE GENEALOGY: (JOHN⁹, GILES⁸, MATTHEW, Sr.⁷, JOEL⁶,
DAVID⁵, THOMAS⁴, MATTHEW³, THOMAS, Jr. 2, THOMAS, Sr.¹)

KENNETH¹⁰ ORLO BARTON:

m. Benny Foster, b. July 21, 1913. Her father was James Foster.

ISSUE:

1. Patricia¹¹ Barton, b. Feb. 24, 1949, Oakland, Ca
2. James¹¹ Barton, b. April 20, 1931, Modesto, Ca

MERLE¹⁰ EDGAR BARTON:

m. Mary Sylvia, b. 1913, Azore Islands.

ISSUE:

1. Mary¹¹ Ann Barton, b. Dec. 3, 1937, Oakland, Ca
2. Richard¹¹ Barton, b. Aug. 17, 1941 " "

LOREN¹⁰ DALE BARTON:

m. Mary Hurd (no further record)

MILDRED¹⁰ ARLENE BARTON:

m. James Ballard (no further record)

BARTON LINE GENEALOGY

BARTON LINE GENEALOGY: (MARY CHLOE BARTON⁹, GILES⁸, MATTHEW Sr.⁷
JOEL⁶, DAVID⁵, THOMAS⁴, MATTHEW³, THOMAS, Jr.², THOMAS, Sr.¹)

BERNARD¹⁰ FRANK SMITH:

m. Belle Croferd, 1936

ISSUE:

1. Bernard¹¹ Frank Smith, Jr. b. July 1, 1951, San Mateo, Ca

CHARLENE¹⁰ SMITH:

m. James Carey, b. San Francisco, Ca

ISSUE: (No record)

BARTON LINE GENEALOGY: (MARY JANE BARTON⁸, MATTHEW Sr.⁷, JOEL⁶
DAVID⁵, THOMAS⁴, MATTHEW³, THOMAS, Jr.², THOMAS, Sr.¹)

WEGIE⁹ MAE METSKER:

m. Quintin¹⁰ Johnstone IV, b. May 25, 1877, Chicago, Ill.
His father was Quintin Johnstone III and his mother
was Isabella Mintie. Quintin III was a builder and
contractor in Chicago. Quintin IV was a lawyer,
d. May 24, 1948. Wegie Mae d. Sept. 7, 1961. Quin-
tin IV and Wegie Mae were married Dec. 31, 1910.
Lawrence, Kansas.

ISSUE:

1. Quintin¹⁰ Johnstone V, b. Mar. 29, 1915, Chicago, Ill.

2. Isabella¹⁰ Mary Johnstone, b. Oct. 9, 1917 " "

GRACE⁹ ETHEL METSKER:

m. Rev. J. Walter Stull, b. July 5, 1876, d. Nov. 21,
1962, Grace d. Dec. 16, 1963.

ISSUE: None

LOTTIE⁹ CHRISTINA METSKER:

m. Cleveland Bowser, b. Apr. 4, 1885, Rich Hill, Mo.
His father, a farmer, was James Bowser, and his
mother was Mary Hull. Cleveland and Lottie Chris-
tina were married June 22, 1910, Lawrence, Kansas.
"Cleve's" occupation was Power Plant Supdt. for
a railroad. In Roanoke, Va., the Power Plant
supplied the needed energy for trains to carry
freight and passengers over the Blue Ridge and
Appalachian mountains of Virginia. "Cleve"
was educated at the University of Kansas (K.U.),
at Lawrence, Ks.

ISSUE:

1. Cleveland¹⁰ Bowser, II., b. March 25, 1911,
Pittsburg, Pa.

m. Arthur Josiah Brown I b. Aug. 3, 1890, d. Sept. 21, 1923 Lawrence, Kansas. His father was John Henry Brown, carpenter and horse trainer. His mother was Emily M. Floyd. His grandfather was John Brown who fought for the Federal Army in the Civil War and is buried at Oak Hill Cemetery at Lawrence, alongside other Union soldiers. His last request was "Bury me with the Boys in Blue." (Note 1.)

On Jan. 3, 1774, my fifth great grandfather, Timothy Brown, Sr., with his wife Rachel and children: John, Timothy, Jr., Mary and William became members of the "Virginia Hopewell Friends." They attended the religious meetings in the East Nottingham Hopewell Meeting House, a beautiful brick structure, located in Frederick County, Va. (Note 2.)

During the Revolutionary War, Timothy Brown, Sr. joined the Continental Army as a volunteer and received a gun-shot to his head while on the battlefield and almost lost his life fighting for the cause of freedom. (Note 1.)

Timothy Brown, Jr., b. c1770 in Virginia traveled to Louisville, Ky. in 1791, and opened a brick factory. His bricks were the first to be made in that city, and the first brick house was completed in late 1791. (Note 3.)

About 1797, Timothy, Jr., moved to Barren County, Ky., and homesteaded land. Here Timothy III was born June 19, 1799. In 1821, young Timothy III married Grace _____ and moved to Indiana where my great grandfather, John Brown, was born. In the next few years this Brown family moved from one State to another. The census records show that Polly Ann Brown was born in Kentucky in 1825, Louise Brown was born in Tennessee in 1826, and Cornelius and Jannetta, who were twins, were born in Illinois as were sons William and James.

Timothy Brown III moved his family to Illinois in 1829, living in St. Clair County one year, then moving on to Madison County, where he was a resident for about sixty years. In Edwardsville, Illinois, Timothy III engaged in various pursuits, among which were brickmaking and dealing in groceries. He became a large owner of real estate, farms and a tan mill.

On May 27, 1859, a strip of land beginning at the corner of Vandalia and St. Louis Streets, that to this day bears his name, was joined to the City of Edwardsville. This land which is called "Brown's Addition," included Desmond's machine shop, Mr. Clark's grocery store, J.W. Coventry's residence and others, (Note 4) It is the middle part of the

Note 1: "Personal family history handed down in the Brown family

Note 2: "Hopewell Friends History", page 411

Note 3: "History of Kentucky by Collins, Vol. #1, published 1878, Covington, Ky., page 22.

Note 4: "History of Madison County, Illinois, published 1882 by W.R. Brink & Co., pages 344, 510, 524 and 177. Also from letter from Madison County Historical Society, Inc., of Edwardsville, Ill., quoting the Edwardsville Intelligencer, Madison County Centennial Edition, 1912. "Old Time Section", page 3, column 6.

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S.W. Quarter of Section 11, Tract 4, N.R.S. This addition was recorded on June 29, 1859, in Book of Plats, No.1, page 49. His son was the John Brown who fought in the Civil War as noted above. Ivy Chloe-Mayme Metsker and Arthur Josiah Brown were united in marriage in Columbus, Ohio, and made their home in Lawrence, Kansas. Ivy Chloe-Mayme died April 15, 1962, Palm Sunday, as she was going to church in Glendale, California. She is buried at Forest Lawn-Hollywood Hills-California. Ivy and Arthur were married Dec.6, 1916.

ISSUE:

1. Arthur¹⁰ Josiah Brown, Jr., b. March 18, 1918, Lawrence Kansas, died March 10, 1941, while in his last semester of his four years of study at the University of California of Los Angeles (UCLA), and is buried at Lawrence, Kansas, at Oak Hills Cemetery.
2. Ivan¹⁰ Henry Brown, b. February 1, 1920, Lawrence, Kansas, landlord and capitalist, whose motto is: "Money makes money, and the money that money makes, makes more money."

MARVIN⁹ CYRUS METSKER:

- m. Beatrice Belle Ewing, b. Sept. 27, 1898, Plymouth, Hancock County, Illinois. Her father was William Lafayette Ewing and her mother was Mary Jane White. Marvin and Beatrice were married October 26, 1915, Pontoosuc, Illinois. They made their home on the "Metsker Estate" where three homes existed. The second and larger home was occupied by Marvin's parents, Henry Clay and Mary Jane (Barton) Metsker. The third home, which was small and the oldest, was the honeymoon cottage of Henry and Mary Jane, but later was used as a storage place and tool crib. It was the most interesting of the three, as its roof was made from shingles split from wood that was grown on the Metsker Estate, we called it the "Washhouse." It had a history dating back to and before the Civil War. Captured confederate border ruffians from Missouri were held prisoner here until either released or turned over to the Union Army. Marvin was crushed between a tractor and thrashing machine and died A short time later at the Lawrence Memorial Hospital December 18, 1929. Beatrice died February 14, 1973.

ISSUE:

1. Mary¹⁰ Belle Metsker, b. Aug. 4, 1916, Metsker Est. Douglas Co. Kansas
2. Alice¹⁰ Maxine Metsker, b. Jan. 29, 1919 " " "
3. John¹⁰ Henry Metsker, b. Dec. 14, 1922 " " "

RUTH⁶ MARIE METSKER:

- m. Freeman F. Munson, b. Jan. 1, 1893. His father was Lewis A. Munson and his mother was Addie Tuttle Freeman and Ruth Marie were married June 28, 1915,

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RUTH⁶MARIE METSKER continued

Lawrence, Kansas. Ruth Marie died September 30, 1972. No issue. For a time, the Munsons owned and operated a chain of stores in Chicago, Illinois, called the "Ruth Marie" dress shops. In 1930, they sold the business and moved to Indianapolis, Indiana, where Freeman owned and operated a coin machine and other amusement business until his retirement about 1963. After Ruth Marie's death, Freeman munson married Mrs. Alvis Rivers, April 29, 1973, Indiapolis, Indiana. Alvis's father was Perry G. Taylor and her mother was Mary E. Minton. The Munsons now reside in Indiana.

ISSUE: None

BARTON LINE GENEALOGY: (Wegie Mae Metsker⁹, MARY JANE BARTON⁸, MATTHEW Sr.⁷, JOEL⁶, DAVID⁵, THOMAS⁴, MATTHEW³, THOMAS, Jr.², Thomas, Sr.¹)

QUINTIN¹⁰ JOHNSTONE V:

- m. *Nancy McMullen, b. Sept. 8, 1924. Her father was Dale McMullen. Quintin and Nancy were married Oct.15,1948, Oregon. Quintin is a legal educator and author. He received an A.B. Degree from the University of Chicago, J.D. 1938 LL.M., Cornell University, 1941; J.S.D. Yale 1951; admitted to the Illinois Bar 1939, Oregon Bar 1948; Individual practice law, Chicago, Illinois 1939-1941. Attorney for the Government Agency of O.P.A. 1941-1947. Member of the following Law faculties: University of Wilmette, 1947-1950; University of Kansas 1950-1955; Yale University 1955- ; Justice S. Hotchkiss Professor, 1969- ; Dean of the Law School of the Haile Sellassie I University in Ethiopia 1967-1969, now member of the American, Connecticut and Oregon Bar Associations. Author (with Mr. D. Hopson) "Lawyers and their Work", 1967; (With Mr. A. Axelrod and Mr.C. Berger) "Land Transfer and Finance" 1971. Contributor of articles to professional journals. In 1939, Quintin V and his sister, Mary, visited Germany and made a quick trip to Russia. Quintin V has studied and researched Law in London, England, and is at present doing research work for another book in Sidney, Australia. Quintin V and Nancy were married in Portland, Oregon.

ISSUE:

1. *Robert¹¹ Dale Johnstone, b. February 23, 1954
2. *Katherine¹¹ Mary Johnstone, born September 6, 1956.

*See Addition sheet at the back of this book for more information.

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ISABELLA¹⁰ MARY JOHNSTONE:

- m. Joseph Norman Grimshaw, b. October 9, 1915. His father's name was Norman Robert Grimshaw and his mother's name was Bessie N. Steed. Norman Robert Grimshaw was born May 29, 1889. His main occupation was sales manager for Standard Oil of Indiana. Bessie N. Steed was born June 6, 1887. Joseph Norman Grimshaw is the vice president of Justrite Manufacturing Company. Isabella Mary and Joseph Norman were married April 26, 1941.

ISSUE:

1. Mary¹¹ Jean Grimshaw, b. Jan. 29, 1943, Chicago, Illinois.
m. Gerald James Kons, b. Nov. 24, 1939. His father's name was Jacob Kons, b. Feb. 22, 1891, and his mother was Anna Katherine Hammerman, b. March 6, 1900. Mary Jean and Gerald James were married April 19, 1969, Wilmette, Illinois.

ISSUE:

- a. Gerald¹² Joseph Kons, b. Nov. 23, 1970
 - b. James¹² Jonathon Kons, b. Sept. 13, 1973
 - c. Jeffrey¹² Allan Kons, b. Sept. 13, 1973
2. James Quintin Grimshaw, b. Aug. 1, 1948, Chicago, Ill
James Quintin is now a lawyer for the International Division of Standard Oil Indiana.
 3. John¹¹ Stewart Grimshaw, b. Aug. 14, 1952 " "

BARTON LINE GENEALOGY: (LOTTIE CHRISTENA METSKER⁹, MARY JANE BARTON⁸, MATTHEW, Sr.⁷, Joel⁶, DAVID⁵, THOMAS⁴, MATTHEW³, THOMAS, Jr.², THOMAS, Sr.¹.)

CLEVELAND¹⁰ BOWSER, II:

- m. Eva Lee McGinley, b May 23, 1911, Narrows, Va. Her father was Charles Elgin McGinley and her mother was Elizabeth Patteson. Charles McGinley was born Wolf Creek, Va. His occupation was farmer and wholesale (walnut) lumber dealer. The mother of Eva Lee, Elizabeth Patteson, was born in the Patteson homeplace in Appomattox, Va. The Patteson House is part of the restored area in the "surrender grounds" where General Lee surrendered to General Grant and the greatest military conflict ever fought on the North American continent came to a quiet end. Cleveland II

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CLEVELAND¹⁰ BOWSER II continued

and Eva Lee were married Nov. 14, 1931, Christiansburg, Va. "Cleve" II attended Kansas University, Lawrence, Ks., as did his father, and graduated from the Military Academy of Virginia Polytechnic Institute. His occupation in life was management training consultant to numerous major manufacturing corporations covering an area of 9 States. Eva Lee is a graduate of Radford State Teachers College, 1930. She received her normal professional Degree in June, 1930, and taught school in Giles, Co., Va., for six years. "Cleve" II died _____.

ISSUE:

1. Betty¹¹ Jane Bowser, b. July 23, 1936, Kingsport, Tennessee.
 m. Sidney Fay Pauls, b. March 21, 1936, Poquoson, Va. Betty Jane is a graduate of William and Mary College of Williamsburg, Va. She was a teacher in the Virginia Public Schools for 14 years (10 years Elementary and 4 years High School.) She received advanced education at Northeastern University of Mass. and North Shore College of Mass. Sidney is also a graduate of William and Mary College 1958 and George Washington University 1970 and received his MS Degree in Management. He also attended Mass. Institute of Technology 1972-1973. His present position is Asst. Chief Systems Analysis in the computer division of NASA (National Aeronautics and Space Administration,) Langley Research Center, Hampton, Va. Sidney and Betty Jane were married August 10, 1957, in Roanoke, Va.

ISSUE:

- a. Susan¹² Lee Pauls, b. March 22, 1959, Williamsburg, Va.
 - b. Sidney¹² Fay Pauls II, b. June 22, 1961, Roanoke, Va.
2. Cleveland¹¹ Bowser, III, b. July 24, 1941, Roanoke, Va.
 m. Nancy Colleen Groyles, b. Dec. 27, 1940, Roanoke, Va. Nancy's father was Gordon H. Broyles and her mother was Mildred Powers. Her father's main occupation was service foreman for Appalachian Power Company, Roanoke, Va. Nancy graduated from the Virginia Baptist Hospital August, 1962, as a registered nurse. She is now the assistant to the Medical Director of Friendship Manor Retirement Center of Southwest Virginia Inc., Roanoke, Va. "Cleve" III graduated from Virginia Polytechnic Institute as did his father. "Cleve" III received a Degree in Industrial Engineering, but for the past 9 years his main activity has been in professional sales. "Cleve" III and Nancy Colleen were

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2. CLEVELAND¹¹ BOWSER III continued

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2. married Sept. 1, 1962, Roanoke, Virginia

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- a. David¹² Scott Bowser, b. July 5, 1963, Roanoke, Va.
 - b. Daniel¹² Stephen Bowser, b. Jan. 19, 1966 " "
 - c. Douglas¹² Shawn Bowser, b. Dec. 5, 1968 " "
3. William¹¹ Lee Bowser, b. June 5, 1954, Roanoke, Va.
 m. Diane La Verne Wright b. June 9, 1954 " "
 Her father is Garland Clarkson Wright and her mother was Themla Altizer. Mr. Wright is the Manager of the First Federal Savings and Loan Association of Roanoke, Va. Diane is also a graduate of the Virginia Baptist Hospital. She graduated June, 1975 as a registered nurse and is now the head nurse of the Orthopedic wing of the Radford Community Hospital Radford, Va. William Lee and Diane La Verne were united in marriage at the Oakland Baptist Church, Roanoke, Va. Sept. 6, 1975. William Lee Bowser will be the third Bowser to graduate from Virginia Polytechnic Institute. He will graduate in June, 1976. "Billy" is on the Dean's Honor List and his marks at the Institute are very high.

BARTON LINE GENEALOGY: (MARVIN CYRUS METSKER⁹, MARY JANE BARTON⁸,
 MATTHEW Sr.⁷ JOEL⁶, DAVID⁵, THOMAS⁴, MATTHEW³, THOMAS Jr.², THOMAS Sr.¹)

MARY¹⁰ BELLE METSKER:

m. Ernest Louis Wells, 1935

ISSUE:

1. George¹¹ Samuel Friedman Wells, b. May 29, 1936
2. Raymond¹¹ Larry Wells, b. Feb. 15, 1950, Kansas, Mo.
3. Beatrice¹¹ Faustain Wells, b. Aug. 25, 1954 " "

ALICE¹⁰ MAXINE METSKER:

m. William Boyde Petersen, b. Jan. 22, 1922, Medford, Oregon. His father was James Peterson, b. March 6, 1875, Island of Als, Slazwig Halsteen, Denmark. His mother was Ethel Bell Davison, b. Oct. 13, 1888, Ministee Co., Springdale Township, Michigan.

The history of this Petersen family goes back to Denmark, where Chrestian Petersen married Anna Marie Jensen. The first son of Chrestian Petersen was John Johnson Petersen by his first wife (unknown) and the rest of his children were by his second wife (Anna Marie Jensen). They were: Peter, Chrestian, Jr James, Mary, Helena, and Christain. Christain died in Denmark, before the family moved to the U.S.A.

Chrestian and Anna Marie Petersen came to Danville, Washington, U.S.A. with daughters Mary and Helena. John, Peter, and Chrestian were already here in the

ALICE¹⁰ MAXINE METSKER continued

State of Washington, having made their way to America earlier.

James Petersen in 1889 served in the German Navy at the age of 14, as a cabin-boy and then at the age of 21 joined the German Navy. The sailors, on one of the ships on which he served, contracted yellow fever in a Port of Chile, South America. James was ashore when he became ill and a Portuguese man took him up into the mountains to his home where his wife and family nursed him back to good health. Other sailors, who caught the fever, died and were buried there in long trenches covered with lime. Thus, James escaped the lime pits. Since his ship's Captain did not know where James was and James was too sick to care, the German ship sailed without him. James next contracted the "gold fever" and shipped out to Alaska during the Gold Rush. Here in Alaska he found gold but not in sufficient quantity to make him rich. Around 1912, he shipped out again and landed in Washington and came to Stevenson, to visit Sam Samsen, a miner who had mined with him in Alaska. He fell in love with the Washington climate and also a young lady by the name of Ethel Bell Davison, and on June 1, 1913, they were married. They had 5 children, the fifth child being William Boyde. Alice Maxine Metsker and William Boyde Petersen were married February 20, 1940, Carson, Washington.

ISSUE:

1. Judith¹¹ Raye Petersen, b. Jan. 21, 1942, San Diego, California.
m. Jimmie Eulan Curtis, b. Sept. 17, 1937, Oklahoma. His father was Jesse William Curtis, b. Mar. 20, 1894, Belmont, Texas, and his mother was Eula Florence, b. July 30, 1904, Oklahoma. Judith Raye and Jimmie Eulan were married Dec. 11, 1959.

ISSUE:

- a. Jimmie¹² Eulan Curtis, Jr. b. Apr. 9, 1967, San Diego, Calif.
- b. Jennifer¹² Lynn Curtis, b. Feb. 6, 1970, Fullerton, Calif.
2. William¹¹ Boyde Petersen, Jr. b. Oct. 4, 1948, Hood River, Ore., married Kathy Diane Coffman, b. Sept. 4, 1955, White Salmon, Washington. Her father was Bert Leslie Coffman, b. Feb. 14, 1918, Omaha, Nebraska. Her mother was Darlene Elizabeth Everett b. March 13, 1925, Red Oak, Iowa. Bert and Darlene were married May 10, 1943, West Plains, Mo. William Boyde Petersen, Jr. and Kathy Diane Coffman were married March 8, 1974, Vancouver, Washington.

ISSUE:

1. William¹² Michael Petersen, b. June 4, 1975. Vancouver
: 52 : Washington

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3. Mary¹¹ Jane Peterson, b. May 5, 1950, Hood River, Ore.
m. Lynn Erzal Allen, b. Aug. 10, 1948, Vancouver, Wash-
ington. His father was Robert Boyce Allen, born
Ogdon, Utah, and his mother was Marie Helen Edgley,
born in Spokane, Washington. His parents were married
in Camas, Washington, 1939.

ISSUE:

- a. Jessica¹² Lynn Allen, b. Dec. 24, 1973, Portland, Ore.
4. Anna¹¹ Marie Petersen, b. Sept. 26, 1952, Hood River, Ore.
m. Thomas Whitney Crowley, b. Jan. 14, 1944, Vancouver,
Washington. His father was Peter Francis Crowley, b.
June 15, 1901, N.Y., New York. His mother was Ethel
Caroline Whitney, b. Feb. 6, 1904, Waterloo, Iowa.
His parents were married April 9, 1926, Battleground,
Washington. Anna Marie and Thomas were married Feb. 18,
1973, Vancouver, Washington.

ISSUE:

- a. Ryan¹² Thomas Crowley, b. Mar. 14, 1974, Portland, Ore.

JOHN⁷ HENRY METSKER:

John was in World War II and saw duty in the front
lines. As the U.S. Army advanced into Germany, he was
without bullets for his gun and, in hand-to-hand combat
with a German soldier, could have lost his life had it
not been for his buddy who had a bullet and ended
the contest in favor of our John Metsker. (Note 1.)

m.----- Grace Ree.

1. Maxine¹¹ Ree Metsker, b. April 15, 1945 married
David Draeger

ISSUE:

- a. Mark¹² Allen Draeger, b. March 3, 1964
- b. Marcey¹² Ree Draeger, b. Aug. 14, 1965
- m. (second marriage) Marie Markhart, Feb. 19, 1949, Lawrence,
Ks. Marie's father was Frank Markhart, b. Dec. 11, 1894.
His main occupation was engineer. Marie's mother was
Maudie Dunsworth, b. July 27, 1899. Mr. Markhart was
born Neosho Rapids, Lyons Co., Kansas, and Maudie
Dunsworth was born Pratt County, Kansas.

ISSUE: None

Note 1: Told to me by my aunt, Wegie⁹ Mae (Metsker)
Johnstone, when she visited California. Also
verified by letter written to John H. Metsker and
confirmed by return mail.

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DAVID⁵, THOMAS⁴, MATTHEW³, THOMAS Jr.², THOMAS Sr¹)

LEON⁹ C. SAWYER:

- m. Maude Loudon, b. Dec. 15, 1884, Salem, Indiana. Her father was David Bostick Loudon, her mother was Margaret Laura Newkirk. Leon and Maude were married Dec. 17, 1913, North Platte, Nebraska.

It is interesting to note that David Bostick and Margaret Laura Loudon are both buried on the property that they originally homesteaded in 1885. On their property is the McCain Cemetery, at Stapleton, Nebraska. Later, however, Mr. and Mrs. Loudon moved a few miles south to more fertile ground. The people who migrated from Indiana to Nebraska had a very difficult time trying to make a living from the sand hills of Nebraska, north of North Platte. Now, irrigation has changed that and it has become a fertile, productive area.

Leon C. Sawyer, as a young man, was a traveling salesman selling flour and meat. In the State of Nebraska, Leon was well acquainted with every town and village. His experiences were many and ununusual. He knew the problems of each section that he traveled and had many, many friends throughout the State. Leon died February 3, 1973, and his wife died June 4, 1969. Both are buried in the Loudon homesteaded land, as noted above.

ISSUE:

1. Katherine¹⁰ Sawyer, b. Oct. 5, 1914, North Platte, Nebr.
2. Ruth¹⁰ Sawyer, b. Sept. 6, 1916 " " "
3. Elizabeth¹⁰ Sawyer, b. Jan. 14, 1919, Denver, Colo.

WILBUR⁹ SAWYER:

- m. Bessie Mae Shields, b. February 2, 1902, Sharon Springs, Kansas. Her father was James Elmer Shields, and her mother was Cordelia Collins. Wilbur and Bessie Mae were married March 10, 1920.

ISSUE:

1. Laverne¹⁰ Elmer Sawyer, b. Mar. 29, 1924, Lawrence, Ks.
2. Eldon¹⁰ Duane Sawyer, b. Aug. 29, 1926 " "
3. Barbara¹⁰ Jean Sawyer, b. Jan. 24, 1931 " "

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KATHERINE¹⁰ SAWYER:

- m. John S. Hodge, b. Aug 23, 1909, Harvey, Ill. John taught Music and was the head of the Music Department of the Fox Lake School System for 41 years. Katherine also taught in the Fox Lake Schools and both retired in 1971. John, at present, is the village clerk of Fox Lake, and has many hobbies. John S. Hodge and Katherine Sawyer were married Aug.8, 1936, Chicago, Ill.

ISSUE:

- 1. Dennis¹¹ Stuart Hodge, b. June 17, 1939, Fox Lake, Ill.
m. Melanie Anne Donovan, b. Feb.18, 1940, Chicago Heights, Ill. Dennis Stuart Hodge and Melanie Ann were married Aug.18, 1962, Flossmoor, Ill. Dennis is a professor of Geo-Physics, at the University of New York at Buffalo. Melanie teaches English at the Amherst N.Y. High School.

ISSUE:

- a. Douglas¹² Stuart Hodge, b. Dec.21, 1965
- b. John² Charles Hodge, b. March 28, 1967

- 2. Karen¹¹ Hodge, b. March 27, 1942, Fox Lake, Ill.
m. Thomas Arthur Eddy b. June 25, 1939, Chicago, Ill. Karen and Thomas were married December 26, 1961.

ISSUE:

- a. Jennifer¹² Beth Eddy, b. Sept. 15, 1967
- b. Michael¹² Thomas Eddy, b. Dec. 15, 1969
- c. Kristin¹² Eddy, b. Sept, 8, 1973
- d. Mark¹² Andrew Eddy, b. March, 25, 1975

- 3. David¹¹ John Hodge, b. June 28, 1943, Fox Lake, Ill.
m. Mary Louise Thomas b. Aug.21,1945, Laramie, Wyoming. David is the Principal of the "Barton" Elementary School in Fort Collins, Col., and Mary Louise is Co-ordinator of the Physical Education Dept. in the Poudre School District. David and Mary Louise were married March 6, 1966, Laramie, Wyoming.

ISSUE:

- a. Kelly¹² Lynn Hodge, b. Dec.24, 1966
- b. Katherine¹² Louise Hodge, b. Dec. 18, 1968

RUTH¹⁰ SAWYER:

- m. Walter P. Steiner, born Apr.13,1914, Milwaukee, Wisc.

ISSUE:

- 1. G. William¹¹ Steiner, b. Aug. 7, 1937, Chicago, Illinois
- 2. Don¹¹ C. Steiner, b. May 5, 1941, Chicago, Ill.
- 3. Walter¹¹ P. Steiner Jr., b. June 23, 1947, Libertyville, Ill.

ELIZABETH¹⁰ SAWYER:

- m. Stephen L. Joy, b. Dec. 9, 1918, Oakland, California

ISSUE:

- 1. Gordon¹¹ H. Joy, b. Aug. 14, 1943, San Diego, California
- 2. Martin¹¹ A. Joy, b. Sept. 15, 1945, Evanston, Ill

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MATTHEW Sr.⁷, JOEL⁶, DAVID⁵, THOMAS⁴ MATTHEW³, THOMAS Jr.², THOMAS Sr.¹)

LAVERNE¹⁰ ELMER SAWYER:

- m. Elnora Elizabeth Gish, b. March 5, 1927, Modesto, Ca
Her father was Albert Gish, and her mother was Vida
Boyd. Laverne Elmer and Elnora Elizabeth were married
October 1, 1946.

ISSUE:

- 1. Sherry¹¹ Ann Sawyer, b. Aug. 6, 1947, Modesto, Ca
m. Stacy Robert Wood Jr. b. Jan 10, 1946. Sherry Ann
and Stacy Robert were married Jan. 7, 1967.

ISSUE:

- a. Jana¹² Lynn Wood, b. July 18, 1967
- b. Stacy¹² Robert Wood III, b. Jan 8, 1969
- 2. Nancy¹¹ Katherine Sawyer, b. Apr. 16, 1949, Modesto, Ca
m. Charles Arthur Winning b. Oct. 11, 1944. Nancy Kath-
erine and Charles Arthur married May 11, 1968

ISSUE:

- a. Tamara¹² Lynn Winning, b. Dec. 10, 1968
- b. Heather¹² Deril Winning, b. April 5, 1971

ELDON¹⁰ DUANE SAWYER:

- m. Imogene Brown b. April 22, 1924, Gentry, Arkansas.
Her father was Walter Brown and her mother was
Ethel Hampton. Eldon and Imogene were married
Jan. 25, 1947, Modesto, Ca

ISSUE:

- 1. Dennis¹¹ Duane Sawyer, b. Aug. 6, 1948, Modesto, Ca.
- 2. Susan¹¹ Sawyer, b. Oct. 23, 1950, Modesto, Ca ^{died Oct. 17, 1950}
- 3. Sheryl¹¹ Sawyer, b. March 25, 1952, Modesto, Ca
m. Dale Michael Monday, Oct. 10, 1970

ISSUE:

- a. Meredith¹² Leigh Monday, b. Aug. 8, 1973
- 4. Eldon¹¹ Craig Sawyer, b. Oct. 13, 1960, Modesto, Ca
- 5. Kandace¹¹ Kay Sawyer, b. April 15, 1961
- 6. Daphne¹¹ Elizabeth Sawyer, b. April 27, 1963

BARBARA¹⁰ JEAN SAWYER:

- m. Harvey Wood, b. March 29, 1926, Salinas, Calif.
His father was Marcus Wood. Barbara and Harvey
were married January 22, 1950.

ISSUE:

- 1. Denise¹¹ Deril Wood, born February 27, 1953.
m. Eric Pierre Lucero, b. March 3, 1950. Denise
and Eric were married January 20, 1973.
- 2. Derck¹¹ Davin Wood, b. April 4, 1956

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MATTHEW³, THOMAS Jr.², THOMAS, Sr.¹)

SILAS⁸ EMANUEL BARTON

- m. Dora Ellen Bond, daughter of Silas Bond and Sarah Ann Rohrer on February 16, 1893. Dora was born January 21, 1872, at Lone Star, Ks., she died Oct. 15, 1931, Lawrence, Ks. Silas d. Feb. 16, 1952 Lawrence, Ks. Silas Emanuel Barton's parents, Matthew and Minerva Barton, departed from Cass Co., Indiana, in late summer 1871 by covered wagon, embarking upon a 500-mile overland journey which lasted approximately 40 days. Minerva had already carried Silas for 6 months before beginning the journey. Silas E. Barton was born within a month after the Barton's arrival at Centropolis, Kansas. Thus, Silas became the first native Kansan in his family. However, "Si" is better remembered for his friendly demeanor. He met and befriended hundreds of people in all walks of life in his community. Everywhere he went, he was greeted with the salutation, "Hi, Si." He was counselor to friends and relatives who sought his sympathetic advice. In a typical instance, a cousin left home intending to elope and marry despite her parents' objections. When she took refuge in his home, Si counseled against the elopement while anger prevailed. In several days, after tempers had cooled, Si reasoned with all interested parties to work out a solution to this dilemma. The marriage eventually took place with parental blessings and turned out to be a happy, eternal partnership.

ISSUE:

1. Leita⁹ Bell Barton, b. Feb. 14, 1894, Globe, Ks. d. March 1, 1966, Los Angeles, California
2. Gladys⁹ May Barton, b. Aug. 29, 1895, Globe, Ks. d. December 9, 1951, Topeka, Kansas
3. Alva⁹ O. (Budd) Barton, b. July 22, 1897, Globe, Kansas, died 1958, Alamosa, Colorado.
4. Otto⁹ Alfred Barton, b. November 17, 1903, Lawrence Kansas, died May 27, 1962, Topeka, Kansas.
5. Ross⁹ Milton Barton, b. Jan. 29, 1915, Lawrence, Kansas, died Nov. 2, 1973, Colorado Springs, Co.
- m. Katherine Elizabeth Stoebner, daughter of John and Katherine Elizabeth Stoebner, of Worden, Ks.) at Lawrence, Ks. Nov. 11, 1941. Katherine b. Dec. 6, 1876, Worden, Ks., died Dec. 10, 1957, Lawrence, Ks.

ISSUE: None.

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THOMAS⁴, MATTHEW³, THOMAS Jr.², THOMAS Sr.¹)

LEITA⁹ BELL BARTON:

m. Clyde Thuma, 1916

ISSUE:

1. Lois¹⁰ IRENE THUMA, b. April 26, 1918, died Apr.13, 1932, Lawrence, Kansas
2. Donald¹⁰ Emery Thuma, b. Dec.7, 1917, died Aug.1945 in an explosion which occurred while ammunition was being loaded aboard a U.S. Naval vessel at Samar Island, Phillipine Islands. Donald was a sailor in the U.S. Navy. He was initially buried in a military cemetery in the Pacific; later he was moved to and buried at Fort Sam Houston, San Antonio, Texas.

m. --- Charles W. Brown, 1927

ISSUE:

Charles¹⁰ W. Brown, Jr. b. Feb.26,1928, Lawrence, Ks.
d. May 27, 1930

GLADYS⁹ MAE BARTON:

- m. Major Faustino Julian Domingo, U.S. Army, b. Feb. 16, 1889, in Illoco, Sur, Luzon, Phillipine Islands. They were married June 24, 1919, Leavenworth, Ks. Faustino died January 4, 1961, Topeka, Kansas.

Faustino Domingo was born in the Phillipine Islands. He lost both of his parents during his boyhood. Upon completion of elementary school in 1904, his friend and missionary teacher brought him to the United States. He intended to continue his education here. Instead, he embarked on a citizen-soldier career beginning in 1906 and ending 1943. He retired as a Major, Army of the United States. His military service included the 1916 Mexican Border Campaign and action as an infantryman at the Gerardmer Sector, the Meuse-Argonne Offensive and the Somme-Dieue Sector in France, 1918. He was recalled to active military service prior to World War II, to help prepare troops for the ensuing world conflict. He was a distinguished rifle marksman and competed for a decade in the National Rifle Matches.

ISSUE:

1. Francis¹⁰ Julian Domingo, b. Aug. 3, 1920, Topeka, Ks. Francis Domingo is in the Steel and Bridge Construction business. At the time of this writing, one of his bridges is under construction in Kansas City.
2. Ann¹⁰ Irene Domingo, b. July 31, 1922, Topeka, Ks.

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ALVA⁹O. (Budd) BARTON:

Budd ran away from home while in his 'teens. He worked as a ranch hand in Colorado and later became a cattle buyer traveling the back country near Santa Fe, NM. He was out of touch with his family much of the time. He made infrequent trips to Lawrence to see his father and a sister. He was married twice but had no children.

OTTO⁹ALFRED BARTON:

- m. Mildred Irene Mitchell, daughter of Clarence and Frances Mitchell, Auburn, Nebr. Dec. 26, 1923, at Broken Arrow, Okla. Mildred b. Feb. 11, 1906, Broken Arrow, Oklahoma.

ISSUE:

1. Robert¹⁰ Glenn Barton, b. Jan. 29, 1925, Lawrence, Ks
 2. Otto¹⁰ Alfred Barton, Jr. b. Feb. 6, 1927 " "
 3. Bette¹⁰ Irene Barton, b. Oct. 1, 1928 " "
 4. Ross¹⁰ William Barton, b. Aug. 17, 1938 " "
 5. Richard¹⁰ Silas Barton, b. Feb. 13, 1941 " "
 6. Mary¹⁰ Ellen Barton, b. Sept. 5, 1944 " "
- m. Edith Anna Woltkamp Usher, daughter of Henry Bernard Woltkamp and Anna Elizabeth Grollmes of Seneca, Ks., at Topeka, Ks., July 22, 1957. Edith b. Oct. 25, 1904, Seneca, Ks.

ISSUE: None

ROSS⁹MILTON BARTON:

- m. Marion Francis Hughes, daughter of Francis Gilmore Hughes and Alma Schubert, of Eudora, Ks., at Lawrence, Ks., April 13, 1940. Marion was born Sept. 27, 1916, Eudora, Ks. She died April 3, 1974, Fort Worth, Texas.

Ross graduated from the University of Kansas in 1938. He served as a soldier in the U.S. Army and participated in the Italian Campaigns in Europe during World War II. He obtained his Law Degree at the University of Colorado in 1952 and for the major part of his legal career was General Counsel for Farmers Insurance Group at Colorado Springs, Colorado.

ISSUE: None

A LETTER OF INTEREST FROM MR. HOPKINS

Covington, Ohio 45318
7745 West Marlin Road
4-23-74

Mr. Ivan Brown
336 Sonora Ave. Apt. "D"
Glendale, Calif.

Dear Ivan,

I received your letter and I will answer. Yes, Cousin Ruth told me about you contacting her about the (Barton) relation. I faintly remember your mother and grandmother from my childhood days in Kansas. I remember Uncle Will Barton always referred to your grandmother, Mary Jane (Barton) Metsker, as "Aunt Mary Hen."

I was born on April 18, 1905, near Twelve Mile, Indiana, where I lived with my parents till I was two years and eight months old. My mother died (December 29, 1907), at 39 years of age. Uncle Will and Aunt Sallie Barton came to Indiana to the funeral and after it was over they took me home with them where they lived on a farm near Lone Star, Kansas. I do not remember a lot that happened there in Kansas, but I do remember a few things. I especially remember Aunt Nan and Uncle Elmer Sawyer. Once in a while Aunt Nan would come over during the week and would take me home with her to stay a few days. She always stopped on the way home at the little store in Lone Star and would buy me a bottle of pop and some candy, something I very seldom got. I always loved Aunt Nan dearly. She and Uncle Will were my Dad's first cousins and Aunt Sallie was my mother's sister. I can faintly remember Uncle Will's mother, Aunt Minerva Barton. She was a person that did not beat around the bush about what she thought. That seems to be a Hopkins trait and that is my kind of a person; you know where you stand with them. That kind of a person is generally honest, Uncle Will was like that.

In 1911, in October, Uncle Will sold out in Kansas for \$10,000.00 and we moved to California. We lived at or near Whittier for about 6 months and then he bought sixteen acres on Beckwith Road, north of Modesto. I lived with them till May 1917 and then they sent me back to Indiana to my Dad who was still living near Twelve Mile. Some of our Dunkard members were going back to Camden, Indiana, for our Church Annual Meeting, and I went with them on the train. I was twelve years old and from then on I didn't know much about the Bartons, except when my dear cousin Beulah, Uncle Will's daughter, would write me. I returned to California in April, 1928, and stayed at Uncle Will's for about a year or so and worked, but in the Spring of 1930 I returned to Indiana and got married....We now have six children, two boys and four girls, all married, six in-laws, twenty-two grandchildren - four of them married and two great grandchildren.....

The way I figure it, your mother and I would be second cousins. Yes, I do have quite an extensive genealogy of the Hopkins family and I will try to copy and send it to you. Do you have a target date for your book?

Kindest regards,

(Signed) Walter A. Hopkins

IN 1925, A TRIP WAS MADE BY THE WILLIAM AND RUTH
BARTON FAMILY OF RIPON, CALIFORNIA TO KANSAS. HERE IS THEIR STORY:

"A TRIP TO KANSAS."

In 1925, we left our home in Ripon, California, with our three children and Will's mother, Sallie, for a trip to Kansas. We went by train, which was a new experience for the children, Vida was eight years old, Lloyd seven and Marjorie was five. In Kansas we met many old friends, neighbors and schoolmates. We especially enjoyed meeting our Barton cousins, aunts and uncles and their families. It was summer-time and fields were golden and ready for harvest. The men, gathered for the thrashing of these large fields of wheat, were busy in their work. The women came from miles around to meet, talk and prepare the bountiful and delicious dinners to be served to the hungry workers. The water boy could be seen on his pony carrying water to the fields to satisfy the men's thirst.

We enjoyed seeing the thickets, woods, streams, fields and the gentle rolling hills where Will, years ago, in the winter-time had been on fox hunts and rabbit drives.

The children saw the old Barton home where their grandparents lived and where Will was raised with his brothers and sister. The old home was located "on Chicken Creek in Hungry Hollow." Mother Barton said, "The lane leading to the house was so long, when we saw company coming, we had time to straighten the house before they arrived."

During our stay in the Lone Star, Washington Creek area, friends and relatives gathered at the homes we were visiting for Sunday "Carry-In" dinners that were served on the spacious green lawns. A Barton family picnic dinner was held in Brown's Grove at Lone Star where we were able to meet and visit with many other friends and Barton cousins.

We found the large two-story mid-Western homes very comfortable and practicable. They were built for the cold Kansas winters and contained full basements which not only supplied warmth, but were also a place to store large quantities of canned fruits and vegetables for winter use.

The large locusts were buzzing in the trees all day long and often during the warm summer nights. The fireflies were a sight to see as they flitted over the fields at night. Still more warm nights were spent visiting with Aunt Nan Sawyer and, as we sat on her porch steps, in the distance, we heard other night sounds like the crickets and katydids, the bull frogs in the marshes, the sounds of the hoot owls and the whip-poor-wills. These were some of the precious memories we carried away from Kansas.

One day the sky darkened and the day was almost like night. Thunder rolled and lightning flashed and we ran for the storm cellars. The rain started falling and, as we watched from the cellar windows, more thunder and lightning lit the sky, permitting

us to see the orchard trees and rock fences for small bits of seconds. It was as if God were waging a huge war in the sky against some foreign enemy. It was indeed a sight to behold.

As the thunder rolled and clapped and the lightning flashed, much too close for comfort, we could see the rain and it look like it was not dropping but it looked like it was in level flight across the cellar window. We got brave and went upstairs to the attic and looked out the attic storm windows to the front of the house. We could hear the rafters squeaking under strain of the heavy wind. From here we saw wagons lifted slightly and pushed across the barn yard and smashed into rock fences. A tree was uprooted and fell to the ground. Things were flying through the air but the strongly built buildings held their ground and remained upright.

The electrical storm lasted for what seemed like hours and when it was finally over we found straw driven into tree trunks and learned later that one lightning bolt had struck a tree in Uncle Elmer Sawyer's pasture killing two cows that had sought shelter there. One cannot properly describe what occurred that day, but if you are so inclined to visit Kansas in the summer-time, I am sure you will witness the same sight, as storms of this nature are not uncommon, or so we were told.

After visiting for some time in the Lawrence area, we traveled North West to Jewel County, Kansas. Will was anxious to see his birthplace, the old homes and relatives there. Will had left Jewel County in 1901.

Our first stop was with Pearl and Alfred Norman. Pearl's mother was Aunt Ellen Gish, a sister to Minerva Barton. Though she was ill in bed, she could visit with us.

This was open prairie country. I took the children for a long walk and they ran through the open fields which they enjoyed, while Will and the others rested and recalled earlier days together.

Later, Alfred took us in his large one-seated buggy to see the old homestead where Matthew and Minerva Barton had lived with their family. Then we stopped at Will's parents first home where the first four children were born. Here Will remembered a small incident of his earlier days. His parents and sister were making a trip to town. They left the three boys at home to hoe the garden and do some other work around the home, but since it was such a warm day, as soon as the buggy was out of sight, the boys took off for the "Old Swimming Hole", quickly discarding their clothing they dived in - - However, the flies had bothered the horses so badly that his father turned back home for the fly nets. Needless to say, the fun was soon ended and the boys learned a lesson they never forgot!

Chris and Mary Peterson had lived in this area where he owned and operated a blacksmith shop. Our last stop was at the cemetery where Matthew Burwell Barton was buried.

Another reunion of Barton relatives occurred at Carbondale, Kansas, and once again Bartons came from far and wide. This Barton house that we were visiting had a large basement with a large outdoor opening. The children soon found it and were having a great time till Aunt Mary Metsker saw them. For added excitement and entertainment, she broke off a switch from a tree nearby and headed for the children, shouting, "Stop that! Stop that!" The children scampered off in all directions. This caused a gale of laughter from the crowd. Hearing this, the children turned - bewildered - the older ones, realizing a joke had been played on them, returned to their fun of "sliding down the cellar door."

Aunt Mary Metsker and Aunt Nan Sawyer loved to entertain. While visiting at Aunt Nan's one evening, she left the room. On returning, we scarcely recognized her, as she had blackened her face and hands and put on some of Uncle Elmer's old clothing. Then, to our delight, she recited the old Southern poem, "Little Brown Baby wif Sparklin Eyes come to yur Pappy and sit on his Knee," just as she had recited it at a previous entertainment.

Aunt Mary Metsker was also very good in reciting poems and such and we were told that she had been in a play recently at Lone Star and, as the Irish Maid, she had stolen the show.

This ended our trip to Kansas and we returned home as we came, by train. We had a most pleasant visit, and now we had to return to our home in California.

END.

CIRCLE # 2. INDIAN ATTACK ON OUR THOMAS BARTON'S HOME OCCURED HERE IN 1699.

CIRCLE # 1. DAVID BARTON APPOINTED SURVEYOR OF ROADS FROM HIS PRECINCT TO GOOSE CREEK IN 1759.

CIRCLE # 4. HOME OF THE LEE'S OF VIRGINIA. COL. RICHARD LEE OF SHROPSHIRE, ENGLAND CAME TO VIRGINIA AND SETTLED HERE IN 1642. THE MOST FAMOUS LEE OF VIRGINIA AND A DIRECT DESCENDENT WAS GEN. ROBERT E. LEE.

ANOTHER FAMOUS DESCENDENT FROM THESE LEE'S, WAS COL. HENRY LEE III, WHO WAS ALSO KNOWN AS "LIGHT HORSE HARRY" LEE.

COL. HENRY LEE III FOUGHT IN THE REVOLUTIONARY WAR UNDER GENERAL NATHANIEL GREENE. GEN. GREENE TOOK COMMAND OF OUR BADLY BEATEN SOUTHERN AMERICAN ARMY IN 1781 AND BY USING HIS CLEVER MILITARY TACTICS,

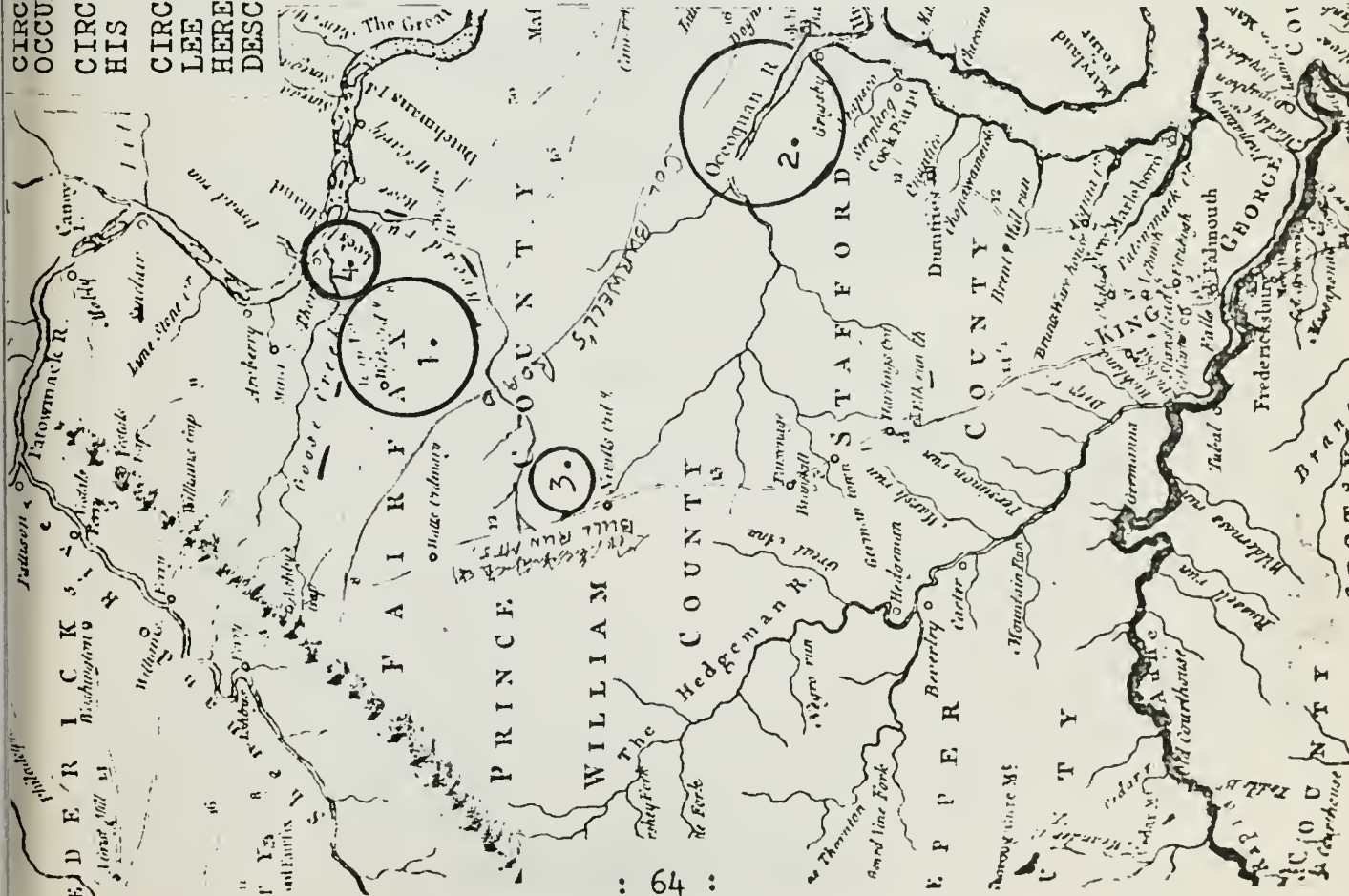
DESTROYED 80% OF GENERAL LORD CORNWALLIS'S ARMY AND SUPPLIES, FORCING CORNWALLIS TO RETREAT TO YORKTOWN, A SEA PORT, TO WAIT FOR NEW SUPPLIES TO BE SHIPPED FROM ENGLAND. HOWEVER, THE SUPPLIES NEVER CAME AND LORD CORNWALLIS WAS FORCED TO SURRENDER TO GEN. WASHINGTON ENDING THE WAR AND WE GAINED OUR FREEDOM.

A FEW MONTHS AGO, I HAD THE PLEASURE OF MEETING A VERY ATTRACTIVE LADY AT A DINNER PARTY IN LOS ANGELES, CA, WHOSE MAIDEN NAME WAS HEATH. SHE WAS A DIRECT DESCENDENT OF THE DISTINGISHED HEATHS OF VIRGINIA AND A DIRECT DESCENDENT OF SIR ROBERT HEATH, KNIGHT AND ATTORNEY GENERAL FOR OUR BELOVED KING CHARLES I OF ENGLAND. SHE SAID SHE WAS ALSO RELATED TO GENERAL NATHANIEL GREENE AND THAT ONE OF HER BOOKER RELATIVES MARRIED LORD ESSENDON OF ESSENDON ENGLAND. THE ESSENDON ESTATE IS NORTH OF LONDON AND LORD ESSENDON'S NAME BEFORE HE WAS TITLED WAS BRIAN EDMOND LEWIS. I ENJOYED THE DINNER PARTY AND OUR CONVERSATION ABOUT "MERRY" OLD ENGLAND.

CIRCLE # 3. VALENTINE BARTON ON JULY 10TH, 1727 TOOK A LAND GRANT OF 377 ACRES OF LAND ON THE MIDDLE GROUNDS' BETWEEN BROAD RUN AND BULL RUN MTS. (CREEK)

NOTE: VALENTINE BARTON DIED ABOUT FEB 1739 IN PRINCE WILLIAM COUNTY, VA. AND ANN BARTON WAS APPOINTED ADMX. OF HIS ESTATE.

NOTE 2. IN MARCH 1757 VALENTINE BARTON JR. WAS IN THE MILITIA OF MAJOR JOHN FROGG OF THE COUNTY OF PRINCE WILLIAM, VA.



SMALL PART OF EARLY VIRGINIA



THE NORTHERN NECK OF VIRGINIA SHOWING WESTERN PORTION OF THE SURVEY 1736-1737

CHART FAUQUIER COUNTY, VA.

Northumberland, Oct. 1648
formerly the Indian district Chick-
acoan, named changed Febr. 1645.

York, 1642/3
formerly Charles River County,
one of the original shires, 1634

Westmoreland, July, 1653

Lancaster, 1651/2

Old Rappahannock, Dec., 1656
(passed out of existence on its division
in 1692)

Essex,
April, 1692

Richmond,
April, 1692

Stafford, 1664

King George, April, 1721.

Prince William, March, 1731

Fauquier, May 1, 1759

FORMATION OF FAUQUIER CO.
VIRGINIA.

THREE GENERATIONS



MRS. LOUISA BERCHA KENNETT, WIFE
OF JAMES W. BARTON AND MOTHER OF
WILLIAM PENN BARTON.



FIRST ROW: WIMMIAM PENN BARTON, CALLIE, ELLEN, CLIFTON.
SECOND ROW: CLARA MOODY, DARAH E.J.S. BARTON AND ESTHER.

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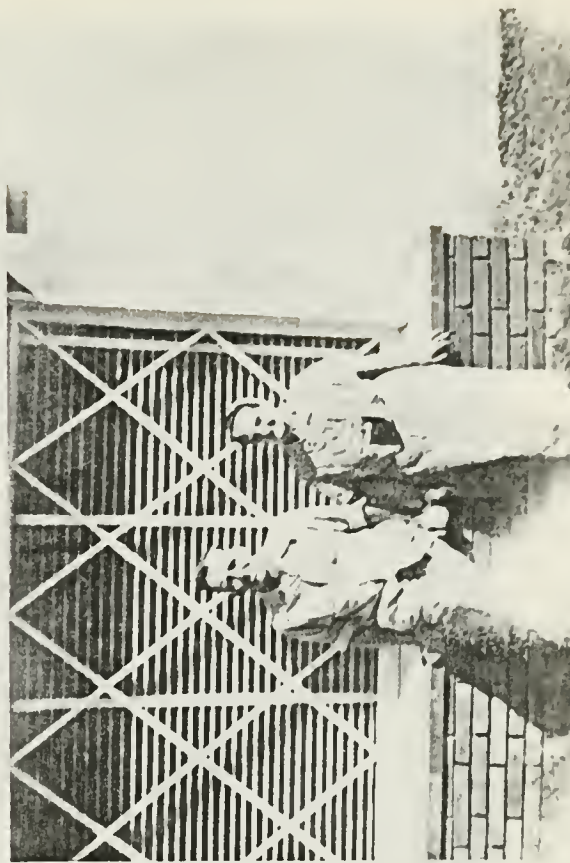
LEFT: SARAH EMMA
JOSEPHINE SIMMONS
BARTON. AGE 90
WIFE OF WILLIAM
PENN BARTON.



RIGHT: ESTHER
BARTON OF ROANOKE,
VA, DAUGHTER OF
SARAH E.J. SIMMONS
BARTON.

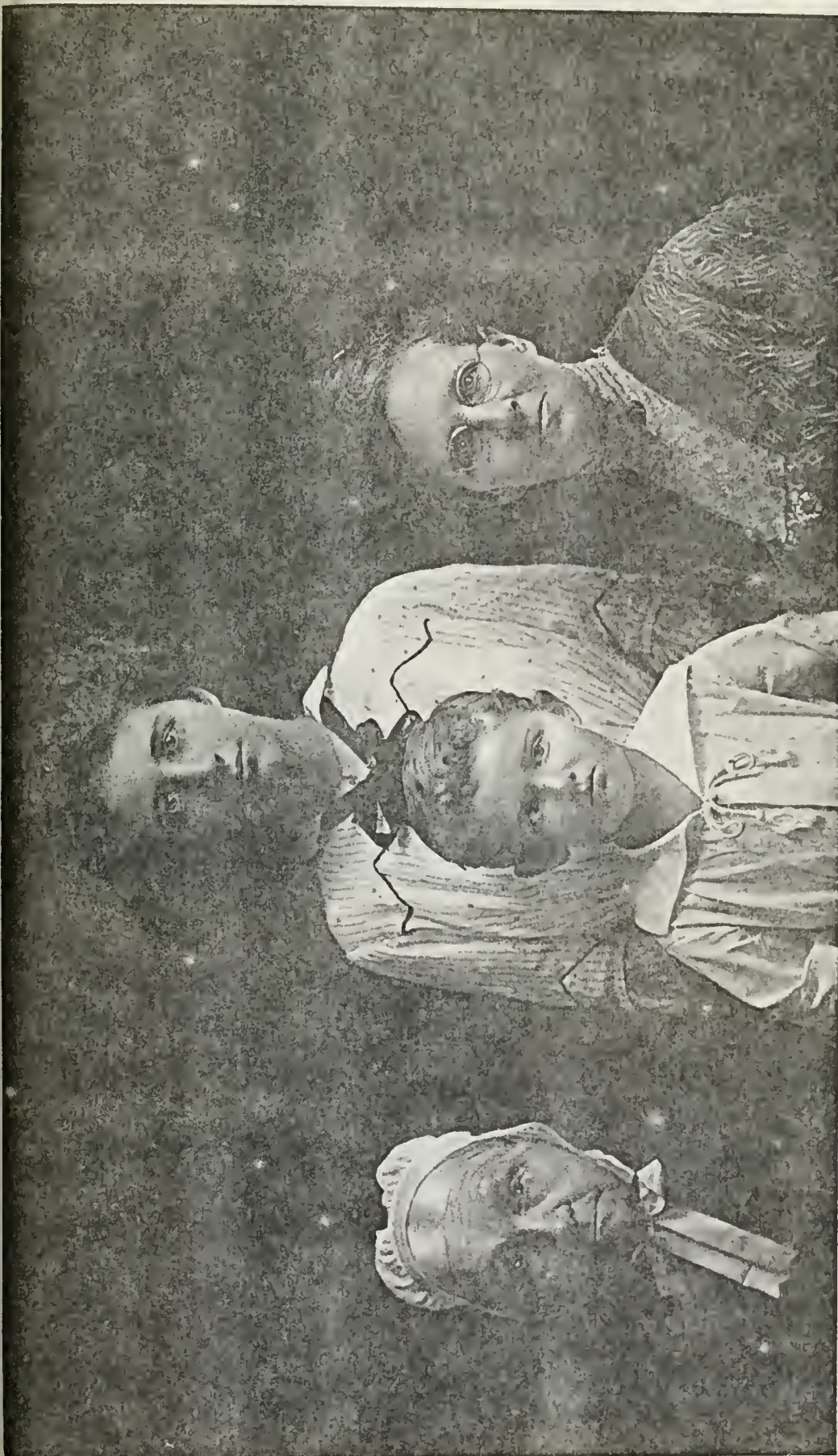


MR. GEORGE WILLIAM BARTON &
MRS. SARAH ANN TEEL BARTON,
PARENTS OF WILLIAM WALTER BARTON



UPPER: MRS. RUTH MARGARET COVER BARTON (CENTER)
ENJOYING HER 80TH BIRTHDAY PARTY WITH
HER THREE CHILDREN, MRS. VIDA RUTH BARTON
KEIRN, MRS. MARJORIE ALICE BARTON PETERSON,
AND MR. LLOYD WILLIAM BARTON, RIPON, CA

LOWER: MR. & MRS. WILLIAM WALTER BARTON
(NEE, RUTH MARGARET COVER)



FOUR GENERATIONS

MRS. LOTTIE BOWSER SR.

MASTER CLEVELAND BOWSER II

MRS. MINERVA BARTON

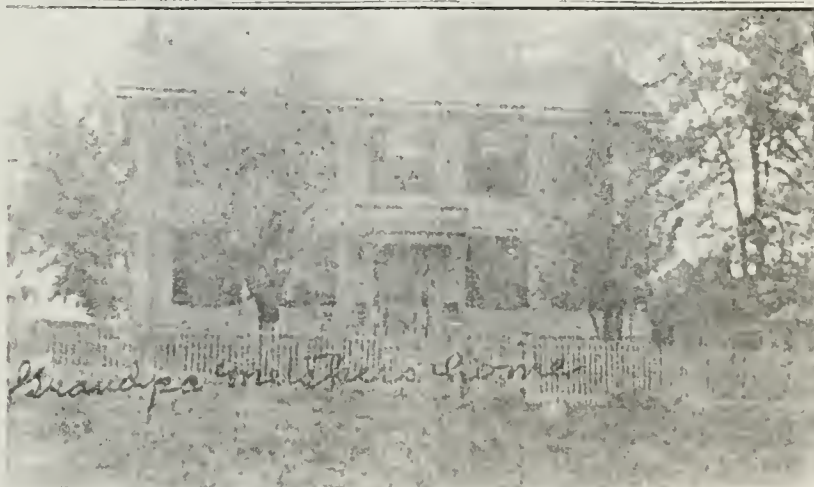
MRS. MARY JANE BARTON NETSKER



NEW METSKER HOME
UNDER CONSTRUCTION
IN 1920'S



TOP: RUTH MARIE, IVY CHLOE-MAYME, LOTTIE CHRISTINA, MARVIN CYRUS,
LOWER: WEGIA MAE, HENRY CLAY METSKER, MARY JANE BARTON METSKER, GRACE



METSKER HOME IN
KANSAS THAT WAS
DESTROYED BY
FIRE IN 1920'S

NOTE SMALL
COTTAGE IN
PICTURE. IT WAS
SAVED AND IS
MENTIONED LATER
IN THIS BOOK.

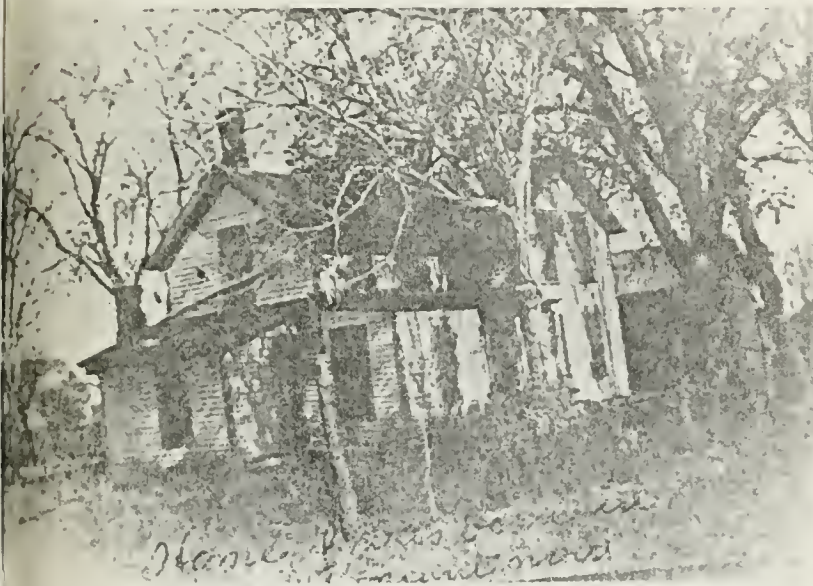
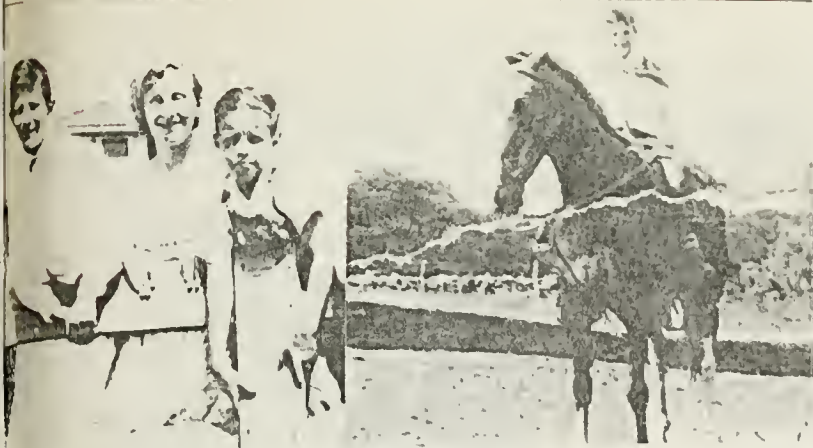


MR. & MRS. MARVIN CYRUS METSKER
 (NEE, BEATRICE BELLE EYING)
 WITH DAUGHTERS, MARY BELLE AND
 ALICE MAXINE AND SON, JOHN HENRY.



THE EYING HOME WHICH IS ABOUT TWO MILES NORTH WEST
 OF THE METSKER HOME.

HENRY CLAY METSKER'S &
MARY JANE BARTON METSKER'S ESTATE IN KANSAS - 1920'S



TOP L: IVAN H. BROWN, MARY B. METSKER AND
HER BROTHER, JOHN HENRY METSKER, GRAND-
-CHILDREN OF MARY JANE BARTON METSKER.

TOP C: IVAN BROWN ON PONY.

TOP R: JOHN HENRY METSKER ON "TRIXIE."

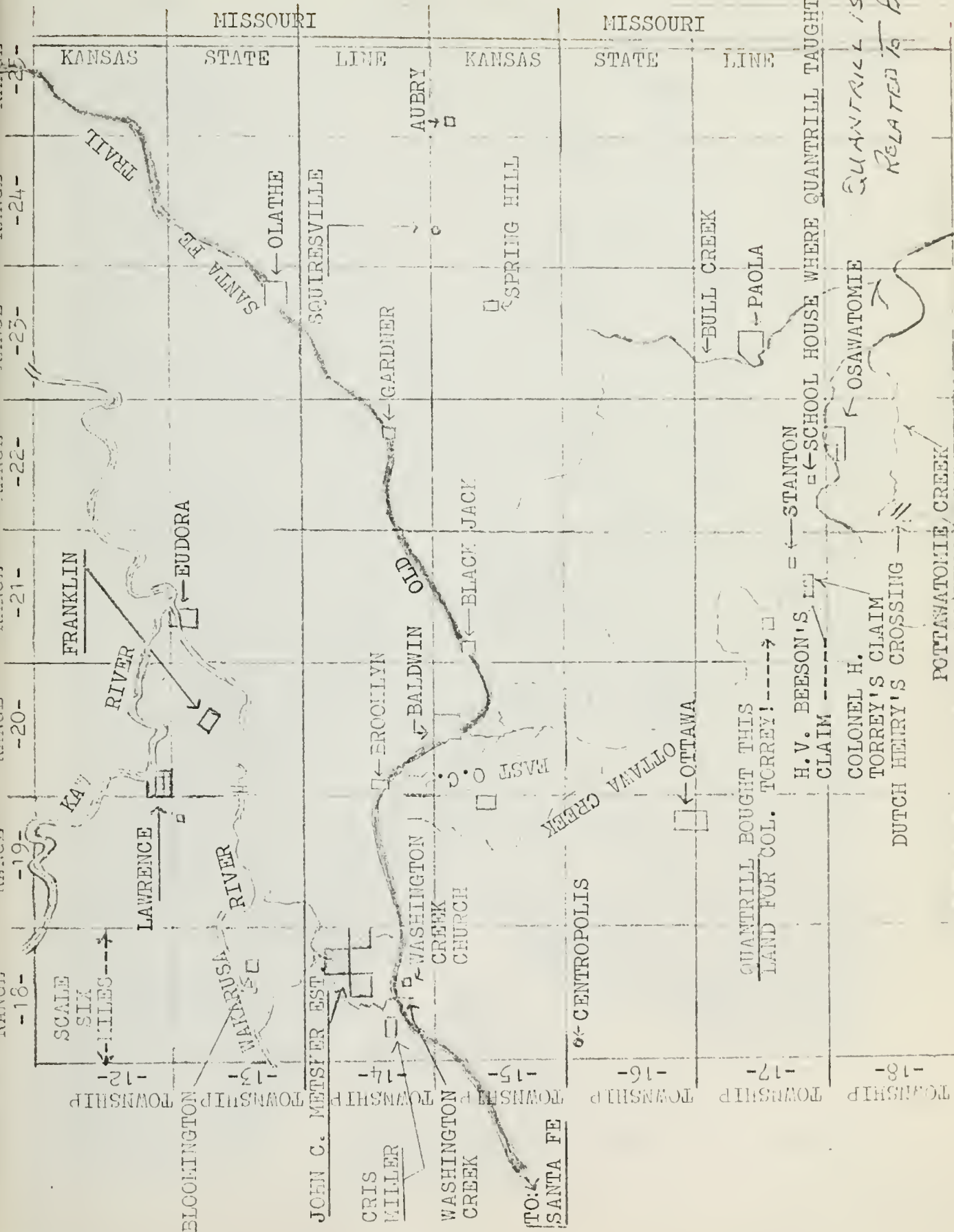
NEXT LOWER R: ANOTHER PICTURE OF OLD METSKER
HOME WHICH FACED SOUTH. THE NEW HOME FACED
WEST. NOTE COTTAGE IN FOREGROUND.

MIDDLE L: METSKER HOME THREE WHERE MARY
JANE RAISED HER FAMILY, BEFORE MOVING TO THE
SPACIOUS OLD METSKER HOME PICTURED ABOVE
AND ON ANOTHER PAGE.

LOWER R: RUTH, LOTTIE AND IVY, DAUGHTERS OF
MARY JANE AND IVY'S HUSBAND, ARTHUR J.
BROWN SR. NOTE ROCK FENCE AT EDGE OF ROAD.

LOWER L: WASHINGTON CREEK CHURCH, WHERE
MARY JANE BARTON METSKER AND FAMILY
ATTENDED SERVICES.

(MAP SHOWS PARTS OF JOHNSON, DOUGLAS) 1854--1860 (FRANKLIN AND MIAMI COUNTIES) TO: WESTPORT
RANGE RANGE RANGE RANGE RANGE RANGE



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THE MATTHEW BURWELL BARTON JR. FAMILY
PICTURE ABOUT 1890 - LYNDON, KANSAS



CHARLES E. BARTON

HENRY J. BARTON

MARY E. BARTON

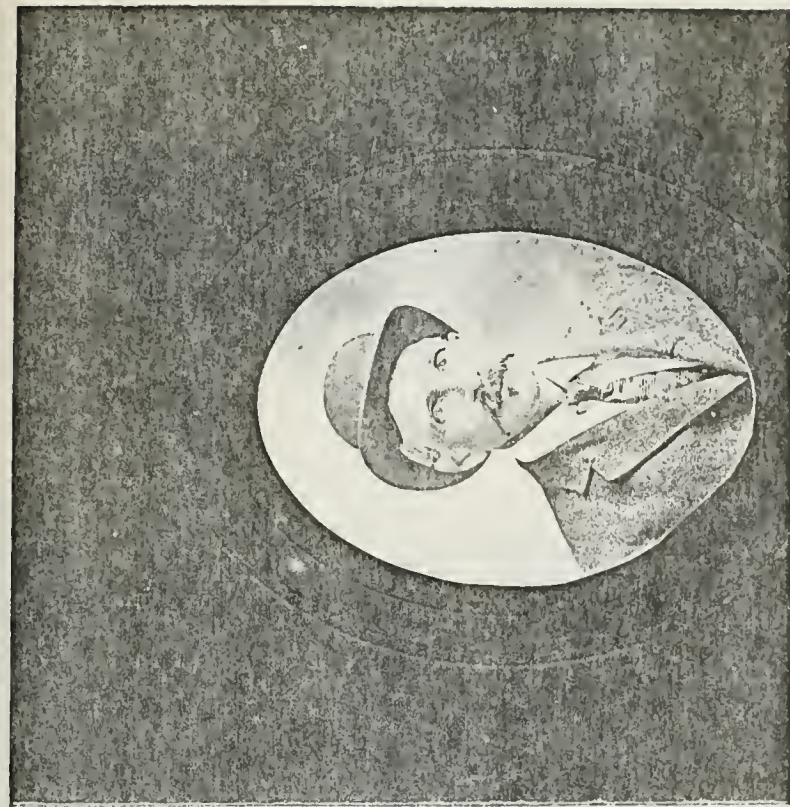
MATTHEW BURWELL BARTON JR.

AMANDA ANN DOUBLER BARTON



WILLIAM⁹ WALTER GEORGE⁹ MOWER

JOHN⁹ ABRAHAM BEULAH⁹ BELLE
CHILDREN OF GEORGE⁸ WILLIAM AND
SARAH ANNI TEEL BARTON



PICTURES TAKEN AT LAWRENCE, KANSAS

ROBERT⁸ "ROB" BARTON, SON OF
MATTHEW⁷ BURNELL BARTON SR. AND
MINERVA HOPKINS BARTON .

BARTON'S IN CALIFORNIA



"OLD TIME" PICTURE OF
BARTON RANCH NEAR MODESTO, CA.
LEFT TO RIGHT:

GEORGE⁸ WILLIAM BARTON
BEULAH BELLE BARTON
SARAH ANN (TEEL) BARTON
WALTER A. HOPKINS-SEE
LETTER PAGE 60- AND
GEORGE HOWER BARTON



GOLDEN WEDDING ANNIVERSARY AT BARTON
RANCH 1938 NEAR MODESTO, CA. ON
BECKWITH ROAD. LEFT TO RIGHT:

"WILL" AND SALLIE BARTON
JOHN AND ORPHA BARTON
"WILL JR." AND RUTH BARTON
J. WILMER AND BEULAH (BARTON) BOWMAN
HARVEY BARTON



GRANDCHILDREN OF GEORGE WILLIAM AND
SALLIE BARTON LEFT TO RIGHT:

EARL BARTON
HAZEL BARTON
WILMER BARTON
ADA BOWMAN
MERLE BOWMAN
MARGIE BARTON
LLOYD BARTON
VIDA BARTON AND VIDA'S HUSBAND,
KENNETH J. KEIRN



MARIPOSA BIG TREES, CA.
LEFT TO RIGHT:

SILAS⁸ EMANUEL BARTON
WILLIAM WALTER BARTON
MARION BARTON AND
ROSS BARTON

SILAS, MARION AND ROSS WERE VISITING
BARTON RELATIVES IN CALIFORNIA.

BARTON RANCH NEAR RIPON, CALIFORNIA

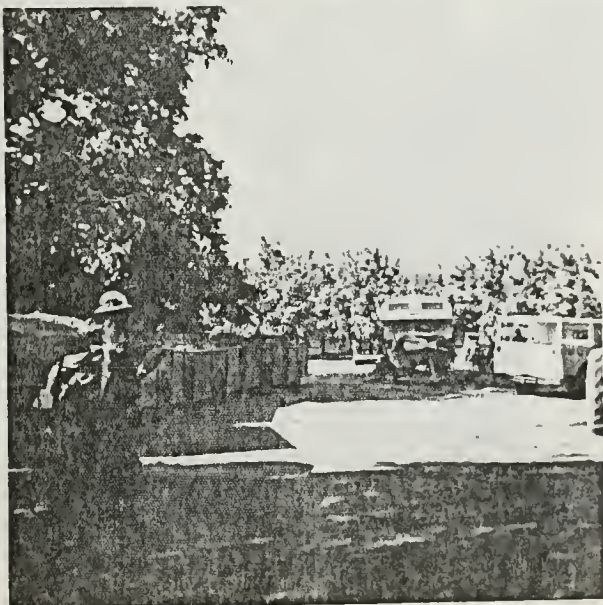
"FROM OPEN GROUND TO TODAY'S
BEAUTIFUL WALNUT GROVE."



WILLIAM W. BARTON ON BUCK
SCRAPER PUTTING UP LEVEES
FOR IRRIGATION. PICTURE
EARLY 1930'S .



WILL W. BARTON WITH LOAD OF ALFALFA HAY
TO BE UNLOADED. PICTURE EARLY 1940'S .



LLOYD WILLIAM BARTON (SON OF WILL
W. BARTON) WITH HIS WALNUT HARVEST.
NOTICE YOUNG ENGLISH WALNUT GROVE
IN BACKGROUND. PICTURE TAKEN 1975 .



FOUR GENERATIONS:

FATHER: MERLE¹⁰EDGAR BARTON

GRANDFATHER: JOHN⁹EDGAR BARTON

GREAT GRANDFATHER:

GILES⁸DANIEL BARTON

HOLDING MISS MARY ANN BARTON

BORN 1938.



FAMILY PICTURE TAKEN ABOUT
1894, IN GLEN ELDER, KANSAS

LEFT TO RIGHT:

GILES⁸DANIEL BARTON

MARY⁹CHLOE BARTON

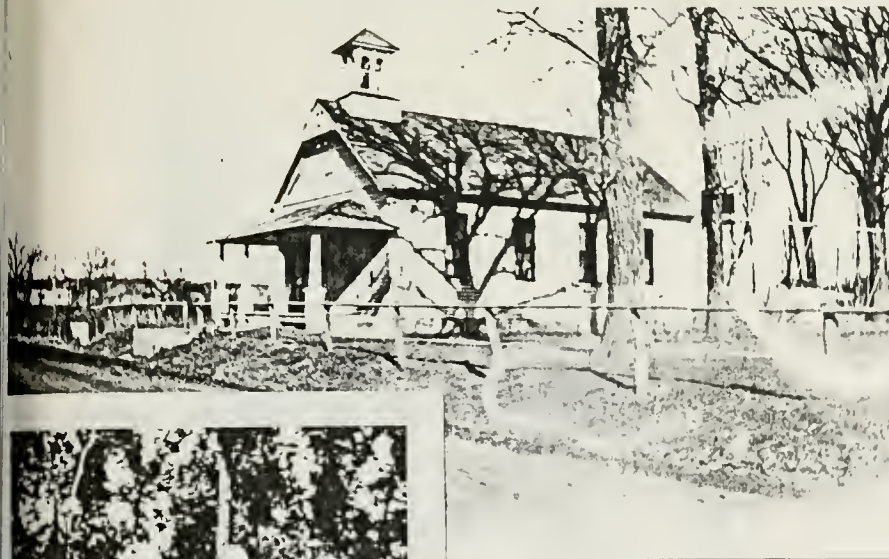
BESSIE⁹VIOLA BARTON

JOHN⁹EDGAR BARTON

ADELIA⁹BELLE BARTON

ALMEDA (NORTH) BARTON

HAZEL⁹FERN BARTON (BABY)

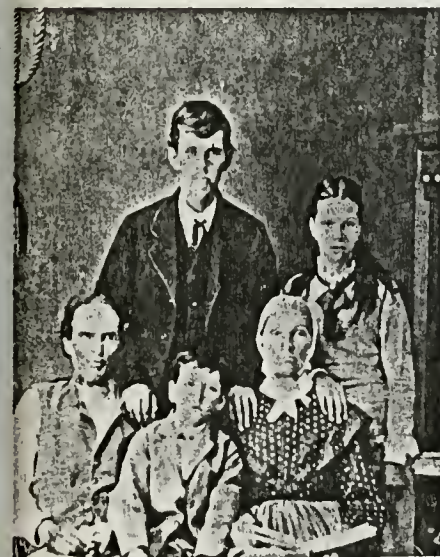


LONE STAR, KS SCHOOL HOUSE
WHERE BARTON CHILDREN
ATTENDED SCHOOL. (ABOUT
THREE MILES FROM METSKER
EST.) 1928



BROWN'S GROVE AT LONE STAR, KS -ABOUT 1928
LEFT TO RIGHT:

MARY⁸JANE BARTON METSKER
SILAS EMANUEL BARTON
GEORGE WILLIAM "WILL" BARTON
NANCY KATHERINE BARTON



THIS PICTURE WAS TAKEN ABOUT THE TIME OF THE
CENTENNIAL CELEBRATION OF THE UNITED STATES OF
AMERICA, 1876 IN JEWEL COUNTY, KANSAS .

STANDING:

SON, G. WILLIAM BARTON
DAUG., NANCY KATHERINE BARTON

SEATED:

FATHER, MATTHEW⁷BURWELL BARTON
SON, SILAS EMANUEL BARTON
MOTHER, MINERVA HOPKINS BARTON



BROWN'S GROVE - LONE STAR, KS - 1928
BARTON RELATIVES:

STANDING: LEFT TO RIGHT

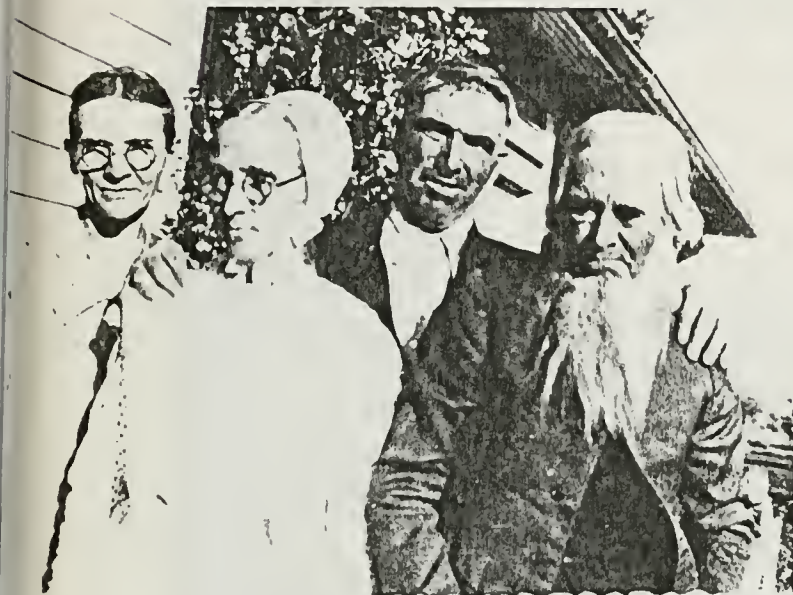
TENA FISHBURN
GRACE ETHEL METSKER
MARY JANE BARTON METSKER
HENRY CLAY METSKER
G. WILLIAM BARTON
NANCY KATHERINE BARTON SAWYER

SALLIE BARTON
MARY PETERSON
ELMER SAWYER
MINNIE HOBBS

FRONT ROW: L. TO R.
WILLIAM W. BARTON
HARVE BARTON
SILAS BARTON
WILBUR SAWYER



MINNIE⁹MINERVA GISH HOBBS, DAUGHTER OF ABRAHAM GISH AND SALLIE ANN BARTON GISH, WITH HER DAUGHTER ELVA MAE HOBBS IKENBERRY .



DUNKARD FAMILY:
ABRAHAM GISH (BORN DEC. 6, 1848 IN WIRTZ, VA) WITH THREE OF HIS CHILDREN: L TO R MINNIE MINERVA GISH HOBBS MARY KATHERINE GISH PETERSON AND HENRY GISH .

PLEASE TURN TO ADDITION
SHEET AT BACK OF THIS
BOOK FOR THE ABRAHAM GISH
STORY .



FOUR PETERSON BROTHERS: (SONS OF CHRIS AND MARY PETERSON AND GRANDSONS OF ABE GISH AND SALLIE ANN BARTON GISH): L TO R
ROBERT RALPH PETERSON
LYNN "LEON" PETERSON
EMERY VERNON PETERSON
CARL A. PETERSON .



PETERSON SISTERS WITH TWO OF THEIR BROTHERS: L. TO R.
ROSE PEARL PETERSON GISH
EMERY VERNON PETERSON
ELSIE ELIZABETH PETERSON
WINGERT
ROBERT RALPH PETERSON AND
FANNIE MAE PETERSON BEACHLER



DUNHAM
 CABINET
 PORTRAIT
 JEWELL CITY, KAS.

SALLIE ANN BARTON BORN JAN 31, 1847 WERTZ, VA
 MARRIED ABRAHAM GISH IN 1868 IN INDIANA. SHE
 WAS THE DAUGHTER OF MATTHEW BURWELL BARTON SR.
 THIS PICTURE WAS TAKEN ABOUT 1873 IN JEWELL CITY,
 KANSAS . SHE WAS A PIONEER WOMAN TO KANSAS AND DIED AT 41 YEARS OF AGE.



CHILDREN OF ABRAHAM AND SALLIE ANN BARTON GISH: L. TO R.
 JAMES ANDREW GISH
 MARY KATHERINE GISH
 MINNIE MINERVA GISH
 ROBERT NOAH GISH
 HENRY GISH AND HOLDING THE FAMILY BIBLE,
 WILLIAM DAVID GISH. -- NOTE THE DUNKARD COATS AND VESTS
 OF THESE YOUNG MEN. PICTURE TAKEN ABOUT 1892 IN
 JEWELL CITY, KS

GRANDCHILDREN OF MARY JANE
BARTON METSKER ON METSKER
ESTATE IN KANSAS ABOUT 1930:
LEFT TO RIGHT:
ALICE MAXINE METSKER
ISABELLA MARY JOHNSTONE
MARY BELLE METSKER .



QUINTIN JOHNSTONE V, GRANDSON
OF MARY JANE BARTON METSKER .

HAPPY, FRIENDLY BARTON RELATION



MR. & MRS. FREEMAN MUNSON
(NEE: RUTH MARIE METSKER)
DAUGHTER OF MARY JANE BARTON
METSKER .



RUTH MARIE METSKER MUNSON
WITH NIECE,
ISABELLA MARY JOHNSTONE .

THE NANCY⁸KATHERINE BARTON SAWYER FAMILY
 LAWRENCE, KANSAS -ABOUT 1908-



ETHEL⁹SAWYER LEON⁹SAWYER
 ELMER E. SAWYER WILBUR⁹SAWYER
 NANCY⁸KATHERINE BARTON
 SAWYER

CORRECTIONS - ADDITIONS

- Page 3 The Occoquan River empties into the Potomac River.
- Page 5 David⁵Barton's marriage record indicates Mecagar and Fanny McCormack were the parents of our Elizabeth McCormack. In my Note #3, on the same page, is listed Micajah McCormack, Sr. -- this is one and the same person, as early Tax and Marriage Recorders spelled a person's name as they thought it sounded. Also, note Richard McCormack mentioned on this Tax List as he married our Eunice⁵Barton.
- Page 6 Note #1 Historical Note to correct the "Virginia Calendar of State Papers."
- Page 9 Valentine²Barton III, born c. 1763, should be (Unknown)³
" 12 Barton and Valentine⁴Barton should have Jr. omitted.
- Page 9 Thomas⁴, David⁴, Elisha⁴, and Elijah⁴Barton, the sons of Matthew³Barton, may have been born in Stafford County, Va., instead of in Prince William County, as stated. Nevertheless, the area was later called Fauquier County.
- Page 11 Note 6 is a Historical Note to correct an error that was found in "Marriage Bonds of Bedford Co. Va," page 876. Researchers have made many errors in transcribing the records of our ancestors' Old English writings.
- Page 12 Elijah⁴Barton m. Anne Senter, and I found no further record about his issue. However, since publication, I found the following: "Elijah Barton m. Salley Kenney, dau. of James Kenney. Elijah Reed, Surety. Married in Campbell Co., Va., 1796." It may be that Anna died and our Elijah moved to the county next to Bedford and married again.
- Page 17 Abraham Gish, a young pioneer, born in Virginia and married in Indiana, took his bride, Sallie Ann Barton (see page 81) to Baldwin, Kansas, where their first child was born in July, 1871.

Matthew Burwell Barton, Sr. followed a few months later and arrived in Centropolis, Kansas, about mid-October, 1871.

In 1873 it was Abraham Gish, with several other young men, who went North-West to Jewell County, Kansas, and staked out land claims and planted corn around the dug-outs to ensure a food supply for those Barton relatives who would leave Douglas County, Kansas, and make the journey to their new home as described on page 14 of this book.

In a letter dated August 12, 1976, from Ruth M. Barton, we learn that Matthew Burwell Barton, Sr. was buried in Jewell County, Kansas, right next to his daughter, Sallie Ann Barton Gish. This identifies the burial plot of this Ks. pioneer woman, which has been unknown to this writer and other California Bartons for a long time. We are thankful that Vida Irene GishFlory, who is a granddaughter of Matthew Burwell Barton, Sr., supplied this precious bit of Barton history while she was visiting

her mother, Effie Elizabeth Gish Bowman, and Wilmer Bowman and other Barton relatives in the Modesto, Ripon area, in California, this summer. Vida Irene Gish Flory is from the Lawrence, Kansas area.

- Page 24 Elva Mae Hobbs married Archie Ikenberry, not Eichenberry, as stated.
- Page 39 The William Walter Barton family owns two Walnut Ranches near Ripon, California, not an almond ranch, as stated.
- Page 42 William Ware Palmer II is an engineer with General Electric Co., in San Jose, California, and William Ware Palmer III is a Navy P-3 Pilot. It is also interesting to note that Ada Belle Bowman Palmer is a teacher and teaches school in Los Altos, California. Her daughter, Pamela Bowman Palmer, is also a teacher and artist in Mendocino, Calif.
- Page 46 My great grandfather, John Brown, not only fought in the Civil War on the Federal side, but also fought for our country in the war between the United States of America and Mexico. He was in the Battle of Buena Vista, which was quite bloody. Since this book was published, I found in an old suitcase, an old handwritten document, giving his full name as John Henry Brown, Sr. This document also states that he fought in the Civil War for 3 years and was a member of the Patriotic Old Time Stripe. He lived in Topeka, Kansas, for a while until his wife died, and then moved to Lawrence, Kansas, and lived with his son, John Henry Brown, Jr., until his death. It says he was born in Warren County, Kentucky, on January 19, 1820, and lived to be almost 90 years of age lacking just 22 days. I also found an old newspaper, "The Edwardsville Democrat" published in Edwardsville, Illinois, dated Saturday, February 1, 1890, No. 38. - Vol. 9 - Old Series Vol. 18 (October 10, 1872), page 5, col. 3, under the title: "An Old Settler Gone," confirms the complete "Brown Story" from the Revolutionary War Record forward to "The Brown's Addition," in Edwardsville, Illinois.
- Page 48 Since the publication of this book, I have received the following information on Johnstone - McMullen family: Nancy McMullen's father's name was Dale Ivan McMullen, who was born 1893, in Evart, Michigan. Her mother was Mildred Watts McMullen, born 1894, in Washington, Conn. Dale Ivon McMullen was a lawyer. Nancy was born in Vancouver, Washington, and is a graduate of Whitman College. Robert Dale and Katherine Mary Johnstone were both born at Kansas City, Mo. Robert is now a student at Cornell University, and Katherine is attending Hiram College in Ohio.
- Page 53 In the hand-to-hand combat fight with the German soldier, our John Henry Metsker was wounded, and we thank God that his buddy saved his life with his last bullet and John fully recovered from his wartime injury.

- Page 55 A recent letter from Katherine Sawyer Hodge states that for this 1976 Bicentennial Year, her husband, John S. Hodge, is now the Acting Mayor of Fox Lake, Illinois ----- Congratulations, Mayor Hodge!!!
- Page 56 Kandace should be Kandsace; and Daphne should be Daphine.
- Page 64 Circle #2 and Circle #4 are about 30 miles apart. For a better map showing the location of Colonel Burwell's Road and the Bull Mountains, etc., may I refer you to "Landmarks of Old Prince William, Va." written by Mr. Harrison, pages 370, 371, and 365.
- Page 66 Wimmian should be William, and Darah should be Sarah.
- Page 71 The old Metsker home that burned in the 1920's faced North, not South. It was the Metsker home #3 that faced South. Furthermore, it should be mentioned that another home was built on the Metsker Estate in 1859 when Kansas was still a territory. It was a log cabin and was the first shelter for our pioneer Metsker family to be erected in Kansas territory and was located across the road from House #3 and East slightly at the turn in the road.
- Page 71 The small boy in the lower right picture is Master Cleveland Bowser II.
- Page 71 The picture at top right shows a small part of the honeymoon cottage where Henry Clay Metsker and his bride, Mary Jane Barton, started out life together. This same cottage is where Missourian border guerillas were held prisoners and later turned over to the Union army. One prisoner was untied, upon his request and promise not to escape, but as he ran to nearby woods, he was shot by one of the free-settlers in the posse that was formed to protect Kansas from Missouri guerilla action.

Again, this cottage saw Civil War action when a special detachment was sent by William Clark Quantrill to kill John C. Metsker, my great grandfather, as they (the guerillas) retreated from the Lawrence, Kansas massacre which was the most brutal atrocity act of the entire Civil War. (Note 1.)

These raiders rode up the Metsker Hill and that afternoon searched for Metsker. Not finding him, they cooked food in the huge iron kettle that hung in the fireplace and slept there that night and left early the next morning. Metsker hid his family in a cave in the Northwoods and, from time to time, watched the guerillas as they searched for him.
(Note 2)

NOTE #1 & #2 --see next page.

The following bits of information were found after this book was published, and too late to fit into our Barton History at this time. However, perhaps these Notes will help someone in the future make another study of our Clan:

Note #1. In "Wills of Westmoreland Co. Va." Page 152 "About 1665 Paynes Point was owned by the Bartons." Part of Westmoreland County became part of Stafford County, Va.

Note #2. In "English Duplicates of Lost Va. Records," page 255, "July, 1699, Edward Barton and others requested Governor Francis Nicholson to have a refugee brought in by the Emperor of the Piscataway (Indians) and punished."

Note #3. More information on the Gish, Ikenberry, Metsker, Sawyer, Ulrich and other families such as Bowman, may be found in the book written by Professor Elmer Leroy Craik, "A History of the Church of the Brethren in Kansas," published 1922, in McPherson, Kansas.

Note #1, #2: "History of the Church of the Brethren in Kansas," by Craik, page 25, and information received from Lottie C. Bowser, Granddaughter of John C. Metsker



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